

# BREAK WITH GERMANY IMMINENT UNLESS SUB WAR IS CHANGED

## PRESIDENT TELLS CONGRESS GERMANY VIOLATED ASSURANCES; BERLIN MUST REPLY AT ONCE

Washington, April 19.—President Wilson told congress, assembled in joint session shortly after one o'clock this afternoon, he has given Germany irrevocable notification that the United States will break off diplomatic relations if her illegal submarine campaign is continued.

Secretary Tumulty, acting upon instructions from the president, conferred with congressional leaders at the capitol late yesterday and resolutions providing for the joint assemblage of both houses in the hall of the house of representatives were quickly passed by both houses.

A note, America's last word, practically an ultimatum, and demanding an immediate reply, presumably was in the Berlin foreign office as the president was speaking.

It was dispatched last night, via Copenhagen, in accordance with president's plan to have it before the German government at the same moment he was addressing the American congress.

The president asked no action whatever of congress. He simply informed it of the accumulation of facts, proving that Germany's assurances to the United States are being violated; that the submarine campaign, despite the earnest protests of the United States, is being conducted with renewed vigor in contravention of all the laws of nations and humanity, and, that he means to sever relations unless it is brought within the law.

Diplomatic history of the world shows that such a course is almost certain to be followed by war. The president's note and his address to congress are final. They mark the end of diplomatic exchanges. A continuance of the long standing friendly relations, the president made clear, depends alone upon Germany's conduct.

"I have deemed it my duty, therefore," the president told congress, "to say to the Imperial German Government that, if it is still its purpose to prosecute relentless and indiscriminate warfare, the government of the United States is at least forced to the conclusion that there is but one course it can pursue; and that, unless the Imperial German Government should now immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of warfare against passenger and freight carrying vessels, this government can have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations altogether."

Representatives of the allied countries filled the diplomatic galleries of the house. Women ruled in the public galleries, less than twenty men finding places in the six hundred seats. Mrs. Wilson was in the gallery.

In the cabinet party, were, Secretaries Lansing, Baker, House and Wilson, Attorney General Gregory and Postmaster General Burleson.

The vice president and senators arrived at 12:50 and marched in double file down the center aisle, members of the house rising.

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The Young Lady  
Across the Way



The young lady across the way  
is very friendly with her  
neighbors, but doesn't believe in  
going on them after school  
and always tries to keep her  
distance.

### HOT SPRINGS VOTES DRY

Sioux Falls, S. D., April 19.—The cause of prohibition in South Dakota as a result of yesterday's election resulted in 14 towns going from the wet to dry column. Pierre, the capitol, voted dry as did Hot Springs, the famous Black Hills resort. Borden, the second largest city in the state, remains in the dry column while Sioux Falls retained licenses by the majority of 350, less by two per cent than last year.

### BOMBARDMENT CONTINUES

Paris, April 19.—There was spirited bombardment of positions south of Haubremont wood on the Verdun front, east of the Meuse, last night, the war office report of this afternoon says. No other important event occurred on any part of the front.

### ROTH WINS MARATHON

Boston, April 19.—Arthur V. Roth, of the Dorchester Club, today won the American marathon run of 25 miles over the roads from Ashland to Boston. Roth's time was two hours, 27 minutes and 15.25 seconds.

The record is 2 hours, 21 minutes, 18.15 seconds, made by Ryan, of New York, in 1912.

### MAKING STUMP SPEECHES TOGETHER ARMY RECRUITS

New York, April 19.—Army recruiting headquarters today sent out an automobile loaded with uniformed soldiers to tour the city for the purpose of arousing interest in military service. The car carried a captain, a quartermaster sergeant, a corporal and a private, who made speeches wherever they could gather a crowd.

### ON STRIKE

Youngstown, April 19.—Demanding an increase of 25 per cent in wages, between 200 and 300 pressmen employed by the

## Fear Breakup Of British Cabinet

### FORD LEADS IN NEBRASKA

Omaha, Neb., April 19.—Henry Ford, of Detroit, leads in the voting of Nebraska Republicans as their presidential choice, according to belated returns from yesterday's state-wide primary received up to noon today. Senator Albert B. Cummings, of Iowa, and Justice Charles E. Hughes are apparently tied for second place. All of the candidates elected as delegates at large to the Republican national convention are said to favor Hughes. Wm. J. Bryan, candidate for delegate-at-large to the Democratic National convention, polled the lowest vote of the seven candidates in this county (Douglas) and is apparently fourth in the race in Lancaster (Lincoln) his home county.

### NEUTRAL SHIP SUNK

London, April 19.—A Lloyd's despatch from Lisbon says the Norwegian steamship, Terje Viken, 3579 tons, sank on Monday in Cascaes Bay, 15 miles west of Lisbon, after three explosions on board the vessel. The crew was saved.

## MAJOR GENERAL SCOTT IS SENT TO BORDER BY BAKER

Washington, D. C., April 19.—Major General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the army, will go to San Antonio, Texas, tonight by order of Secretary Baker, in order to get accurate information as to the situation on the border and in Mexico.

Secretary Baker issued this statement:

"General Scott leaves for San Antonio this evening at 6:16 at my request. He will spend several days with General Funston, before his return. This trip is made solely for the purpose of getting as accurate information as is possible for the use of the department."

General Funston remains in full charge of the expedition into Mexico. He has the full confidence of the department.

Secretary Baker would not discuss General Scott's mission here.

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London, April 19.—In the house of commons today Premier Asquith stated that there is still some material points of disagreement in the cabinet and, if they were not settled, the result must be the break-up of the government.

### ANSWER ON INTERFERENCE IS ON THE WAY

(BULLETIN)

London, April 19.—The reply of Great Britain and France to the American note concerning interference with maritime commerce by the entente allies has been cabled to Washington.

The communication will be presented to the American government by the French and British ambassadors jointly. It consists of two parts, a long note and a supplement signed by the French government. Since its arrival at Washington certain cable changes have been made in the original note.

London, April 19.—Although the cabinet was in session more than three hours today it was unable to reach an agreement on the recruiting problem and when the house of commons met Premier Asquith was compelled further to postpone his statement until Tuesday next, saying that unless an agreement could be reached the result would be a break up of the coalition government.

The Premier promised that there would be no further delay beyond Tuesday. In view of his promise Sir Edward Carson consented that his motion demanding service for all men of military age should stand over until the Premier made his statement.

When Premier Asquith said that the cabinet was united in believing that the dissolution of the coalition government would be a national disaster, he was loudly cheered, only a few unionists dissenting.

## MAINE MAN NEW WAR SECRETARY

Washington, April 19.—Wm. M. Ingraham, former mayor of Portland, Maine, has been selected by President Wilson for Assistant Secretary of War. The nomination was signed today. Mr. Ingraham will succeed Henry Breckinridge, who resigned with former Secretary Garrison.

## RUSSIANS CAPTURE TURKISH SEAPORT

Petrograd, April 19.—(Via London)—Trebizond, the most important Turkish city on the Black Sea, has been captured by the Russians.

The fall of Trebizond to the Russian arms is confirmed in an official communication issued today.

The statement says:

"Trebizond has been taken. The united energetic efforts of our Caucasian army and Black Sea fleet have been crowned by the conquest of this fortified town, the most important position on the Anatolian coast."

"Our valiant troops, after the sanguinary battle of the fourteenth on the Kara Dere river, pressed the Turks without respite and surmounted incredible obstacles, everywhere breaking the fiercer resistance of the enemy. The well combined action of the fleet permitted the execution of most hazardous landing operations and lent the support of its

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## CLAIM VIOLATION OF CLAYTON ACT

Washington, D. C., April 19.—The Federal Trade Commission issued a formal complaint today against the A. B. Dick Company, of Chicago, and the Neostyle Company, of New York, an allied concern, manufacturers of mimeographing machine and supplies, charging the companies with violation of the Clayton Act in attaching license restrictions to mimeographing machines.

## CONGRESS LEARNS CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S STAND ON THE U-BOAT PROBLEM

Washington, D. C., April 19.—In his special address before a joint session of congress this afternoon, outlining the facts in the U-boat crisis, President Wilson said:

Gentlemen of the Congress:

"A situation has arisen in the foreign relations of the country of which it is my plain duty to inform you very frankly."

"It will be recalled, that in February, 1915, the Imperial German Government announced its intention to treat the waters surrounding Great Britain and Ireland as embraced within the seat of war and to destroy all merchant ships by its enemy that might be found within any part or portion, and that it warned all vessels of neutral as well as of belligerent ownership to keep out of the waters they thus prescribed or else enter them at their peril. The government of the United States earnestly protested. It took the position that such a policy could not be pursued without the practical certainty of gross and palpable violations of the law of nations, particularly if submarine craft were to be employed as its instruments, inasmuch as the rules prescribed by that law, rules founded upon principles of humanity and established for the protection of the lives of non-combatants at sea, could not in the nature of the case be observed by such vessels. It based its protest on the ground that persons of neutral nationality and vessels of neutral ownership would be exposed to extreme and intolerable risks, and that no right to close any part of the high seas against their use or to expose them to such risks could lawfully be asserted by any belligerent government. The law of these nations in these matters upon which the government of the United States based its protest, is not of recent origin or founded upon merely arbitrary principles set up by convention. It is based, on the contrary, upon ancient and imperative principles of humanity and has long been established with the approval and by the express assent of all civilized nations."

"Notwithstanding the earnest protest of our government, the Imperial German Government at once proceeded to carry out the policy it had announced."

"It expressed the hope that the dangers involved, at any rate the dangers to neutral vessels, would be reduced to a minimum by the instructions which it had issued to its submarine commanders, and assured the government of the United States that it would take every possible precaution, both to respect the rights of neutrals and to safeguard the lives of non-combatants."

"What has actually happened in the year which has since elapsed has shown that those hopes were not justified, those assurances insusceptible of being fulfilled. In pursuance of the policy of submarine warfare against the commerce of its adversaries, thus announced and entered upon by the Imperial German Government, despite the solemn protests of this government, the commanders of German under-sea vessels have attacked merchant ships with greater and greater activity, not only upon the high seas surrounding Great Britain and Ireland, but, wherever they could encounter them, in a way that has grown more and more ruthless, more and more indiscriminate as the months have gone by, less and less observant of restraints of any kind; and have delivered their attacks without compunction against vessels of every nationality and bound upon every sort of errand. Vessels of neutral ownership, even vessels of neutral ownership bound from neutral port to neutral port, have been destroyed along with vessels of belligerent ownership in constantly increasing numbers."

"Some times the merchantmen attacked have been warned and summoned to surrender before being fired on or torpedoed; (Continued on Page Eight)

## THE U-BOAT CRISIS AFFECTS WALL ST.

New York, April 19.—Wall Street accepted latest developments in the German controversy with misgiving, judging from the weak tone of the stock market at the opening day. War shares and all the better known specialties broke from one to almost three points, the entire list reflecting hurried liquidation. Bethlehem steel broke 19 points. The railroads and other representative stocks were under better control but the decline was broader and showed greater activity than any session thus far this year.

## WASHINGTON BEATS WORLD CHAMPIONS

Boston, April 19.—Washington beat Boston in the morning game here today by a score of 3 to 2. The summary:—Washington, 3; Boston, 2; 7. Boehling and Williams, Henry Foster, Cady and Agnew.

## Billy Butt In Takes Weathering



Since Villa got t' dyin' every day or so I've been thinkin' we were through with war crises, but I guess we're not. This latest one with Germany calls for instant discussion and I'm going right over and take it up with th' Hammer Club right away. Its gotta be some crisis if me and th' Hammer Club philosophers can't settle it in short order. Here's for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Probably showers to night and in east and north portions Thursday.  
West Virginia—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Warner.

# WANTS TO PROVE SHE WAS BORN IN PEERLESS

Judge Thomas C. Beatty received a censured letter from London, England, Wednesday asking for the birth certificate of Pearl Edith Terrelle, born in this city, July 16, 1893. The letter was written by the young lady on April 6, mailed on the same day. A two shilling postal

order accompanied the letter. There was considerable conjecture about the court house Wednesday concerning the letter. Several thought the girl is being held by authorities and had to prove her identity by producing a birth certificate. The certificate was mailed to the young lady at once.

## HAS PICTURE OF "RELIEF" MEN

Virgil Fowler, proprietor of the Fowler Camera Shop, is preserving a group picture that he prizes very highly, including, as it does, practically all of the leading business men of Portsmouth and some prominent citizens who have passed away in the past several years. It is a picture of the citizens who gathered at the Irving Drew home to outline plans for relief during the 1913 flood.

## Mayor Hannan In The City

Mayor A. J. Hannan, of Iron-ton, motored to Portsmouth, Wednesday, to be a witness in the case of W. H. Fugitt against Carl Farmer, suit to collect money, which was heard in common pleas court by Judge Thomas.

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At Rushtown Anderson Henderson was a business visitor at Rushtown Tuesday.

## Contract Approved

At a special meeting of the county commissioners, Wednesday, a resolution approving the awarding of the paving contract at Sciotoville to the Sheridan-Kirk Company, this city, by the state highway department, was passed.

## Sewing Circle Will Meet

Mrs. M. J. Dixon will entertain the Allen M. E. church sewing circle at her home, No. 1220 Fifteenth street, Thursday evening.

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## On Blacklist, And Doesn't Know His Source Of Supply

Refusal of Charles Sission to divulge his "source of supply" caused Mayor Kaps to order him held indefinitely, after he had fined him \$5 in police court Wednesday on a charge of drunkenness.

Sission is on the saloon "black list" and when asked where he got his liquor said that he did not know. Repeated efforts to induce him to tell proved futile. The young man is employed at the N. & W. car shops and had not worked any this week.

Willard Urban was untidily familiar in addressing the mayor by his given name of Bert for which the young man was taken to task after his case was disposed of. "After this do not address me by my first name when in court. On the streets you can call me what you please," politely but pointedly spoke the mayor. Urban was fined \$10 half of which was suspended, for striking a young cousin, Dave Urban. He claimed that he only hit him alongside the face to keep him from throwing a rock he had picked up to use against him. "Bad Bill" Patterson, feeling somewhat exasperated, was also called down by violating the decorum of the court room. The negro persisted in "jabbering" while standing in the spectators' row and once broke the stillness of the court room when he raised his hand waving and shouting a greeting to Chief Clark. He was sharply reminded to reserve his salutes for the streets.

Eugene Coles, a Virginia negro, who while waiting for a car, dropped in a helpless heap at the Gallia street, esplanade, pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was fined \$5. Henry Willard, a giant negro and who might seem able to prove a worthy foe to Champion Willard, was fined \$5 for vagrancy, warned to give civil answers to officers in the future and was assigned to the work gang.

Harry Williams, who claimed to be a professional lecturer and athlete from Youngstown, O., was also given an opportunity to give the city a little benefit of his muscle powers, he, too, being assigned to the work gang, having pleaded guilty to vagrancy.

H. D. Wait, who was arrested for sleeping off a jag in the N. & W. yards, forfeited a \$5 bond by failing to appear.

The court could see but little in the front street mixup that occurred between Lora Segraves and Sina Kitzelby and the latter's daughter, Martha Kette. The women fell out when their respective children got to quarreling on Front street Tuesday. Mrs. Segraves scolded the aged lifeless woman in the face. Martha said the only part she had the "face" was to hold Mrs. Segraves to keep her from pulling her mother's hair. The mayor dismissed them with the warning to remain away from each other in the future and the advice to their husbands, who are janitors and all others of similar occupation that they had better quit quarreling and carrying contents of garbage boxes, premises, over alleys or they would find themselves going to the workhouse.

Minor and Noah Holt and "Peggy" Foster, who had been ordered in to explain their failure to pay balances on fines they owe, were earnestly warned that they had better get busy and square up.

## Buildings And Personal Property Of Brodt Shoe Comp'y. Public Sale

On Friday, April 21st, 1:00 p. m., at the factory, 517 Front street, the Receiver will offer at public sale the remaining property of the company. This will include Factory Buildings, Accounts, Machinery and Equipment. The Receiver will gladly give detailed information regarding property to prospective purchasers. The buildings are admirably adapted to factory or general storage purposes. C. M. WEYAND, Receiver, Room 75 First National Bank Building, Phones—office, 1798. Res. L-1549.

## TERMINALS

N. & W. President L. E. Johnson and N. & W. General Manager A. C. Needles, both of Roanoke, Va., passed through the city Wednesday afternoon in special cars 100 and 101 which were attached to No. 15 which leaves Portsmouth at 3:25 p. m. The officials are on their way to Columbus on important business.

Robert S. Kyle, N. & W. train dispatcher, returned to work Wednesday after several days' trip over the Sealed Division. Albert Eckfeld, train dispatcher, of the Cincinnati and Columbus districts, left Wednesday morning on a trip over the division. The train dispatchers are to make a trip over the division at least once each year to familiarize themselves with the conditions existing on the division. Relief train dispatcher Charles J. Serey is working in Eckfeld's place.

Finley Worthington well known huckster, was delayed in making his usual rounds Wednesday morning, when his horse laid down at Walnut and Chestnut streets for a rest. It got up later and continued on its way.

A series of special meetings will start at the Tabernacle, Thursday evening, at the regular mid-week prayer services.

James Weeks, clerk at Jackson and Veneer's grocery laid off Wednesday afternoon and spent the time in trying out his new Niagara automobile which arrived Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sickles and family moved Wednesday from Gallia street to the Weeks' property on Walnut street.

Pathe News No. 15 shows pictures of remarkable invention in the shape of a wagon driven by wind motor; the superdreadnaught Pennsylvania on trial; ex-French soldiers unit for service employed in basket making at Charleston, S. C., a searchlight for the defense of the port is exhibited; musicians from Carranza's army play American national airs as they march in the same parade with border troops.

"Great White It Lashed" is an awful funny Phamphibian.

At The Arcana "The Iron Ring" is the title of the fourteenth chapter of "Graft". In this installment Robert Harding, the young reformer breaks up the iron trust. The reign of terror at the iron foundry is the one extraordinary strong feature of this number. Stone makes another attack on Dorothy's life, but she is saved when her young brother starts the Victoria.

"I'll Get Her Yet". This is the comedy that you have been waiting to see and it is certainly up to expectations. Put Rooney, the famous stage comedian, is the leading character and is ably assisted by Marion Bent and Victor Pond, a cast that will make every one laugh. Two big reels of Imp feature comedy, followed by "Uncle Sam at Work", a Powers educational film.

At The Strand "Dolly's Scrap", Rex two-part drama is a newspaper story, featuring Louise Lovely, Lon Chaney and a large supporting cast, is to

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At Holy Redeemer church the solemn commemoration of the most sacred passion and death of the Saviour, begins at the 8:30 morning service. Holy Redeemer church commemorates on Holy Thursday the three holy institutions of Christ, the holy mass, the blessed Sacrament, and the Holy Priesthood. The ceremonies of Holy Week as commemorated by the Catholic church are always beautiful, interesting and instructive.

Through the senses the soul of the Christian is greatly assisted to understand as far as possible the mystery of Christ's passion and death, which like a spotless mirror reflects the Saviour's manifold compassion and love for sinners.

Holy Thursday is the feast of the Passover. The church sets before her children Christ with His Apostles seated at the Last Supper.

Jesus moved with unspeakable compassion, said to His Apostles: "With desire have I desired to eat this Pasch with you before I suffer." Then moistening His lips with the cup, He blessed it and offered it to His disciples to be divided among themselves, saying, "But for Me I will not drink of the fruit of this vine until the Kingdom of God comes."

Jesus knowing that "His hour was come" and that He should pass out of this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them unto the end. "I will not leave you orphans." "He riseth and layeth aside his garments, girds himself with a towel, and washes and wipes His Disciples' feet," as an example, "that I have done to you, so do also you."

The Catholic church on Holy Thursday keeps fresh, warm and vital in the minds and hearts of her children the Passion and Death of the Saviour, the fruits of which are the Mass, the Blessed Sacrament and Priesthood.

The Crucifix is covered with white in memory of the Blessed Sacrament.

The priest comes to the altar robed in white vestments. The "Gloria" is solemnly sung, accompanied by ringing of the bells to remind Christians to give praise and thanks to the Lord for the Blessed Sacrament of Love; after the "Gloria" the bells are silent until Holy Saturday to indicate the mourning of both Church and Christians for the Passion and Death of Jesus. At the Mass the

priest consecrates two hosts, one of which he consumes at the Communion, and the other he preserves in the chalice for the following day, because no consecration takes place on Good Friday. After Mass the consecrated host in the chalice is taken in solemn procession in which all the school children take part, to the Repository or altar of repose which is decked with flowers and lights. Afterwards the altar is stripped to remind the Christian of the way in which their Master was stripped of His garments before He was nailed to the cross.

All are cordially welcome to follow the church in the observance of Holy Thursday's ceremonies.

## NEW BOSTON

The different classes of the Baptist church are practicing for their parts in the Easter program to be given at the church next Sunday. Each class will have a number on the program.

Kelley Bros. have put a force of men at work laying a sanitary sewer on Ohio avenue, south of Grace street. The sewer will connect with the sewer in the alley south of Grace street.

Wiley Stewart, arrested early Sunday morning on a charge of assaulting his father, "Squire" M. T. Stewart, charges being preferred by Will Stewart, was arraigned for trial before Mayor Davis Tuesday afternoon. Stewart was found guilty and was fined \$100 and costs and given a 90 days' workhouse sentence. He is still behind the bars. He has promised Mayor Davis that he will leave town for good, of he will give him his freedom. Mayor Davis is considering the proposition.

Mayor J. S. Davis will be given a hearing in "Squire" J. L. Ricker's court on Oak street Thursday morning, at nine o'clock. Cyrus Payton has filed suit in Ricker's court claiming that Mayor Davis is wrongfully holding a check of \$11 issued by the Whitaker-Glessner Company in favor of Payton. Attorney Joseph Steagall is to represent Mr. Payton at the trial.

Henry Schuler and son, Frank Schuler, of Candy Run, near Lucasville, have been ordered into "Squire" William McManes' court next Saturday morning. Henry Miller, of Stewartville, claims the father and son relieved him of about \$18 on Saturday night. April 8, when Henry Miller was arrested on a drunk charge. Constable Charles Davis served notices and summons several days ago in the case.

Members of the Social Circle of the Baptist church met Tuesday evening in regular session at the home of Mrs. Anna Jenkins, on Monroe street, Stewartville. The following members were present: Mesdames John Cullen, Edward Wintersole, Lawson Sloan, John Kachelies, Orin Smedley, J. D. Irvin, George Reed, J. F. Sheridan, Charles Morrison, James Clark, Thurman Emory, Mabel Barbee and Anna Jenkins. Refreshments were served. The place of the next meeting will be announced later.

Viola Cottle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cottle, who had her right eye removed Sunday, after having the eye-ball pierced Saturday while

the roof of the old Elhoff barn, just east of the Simpkins shop, about 10:30 Wednesday morning. Simpkins discovered the blaze. John Wolfe, working for Kelley Bros., sealed the side of the building, and with a garden hose extinguished the blaze. O. D. Chien sent in a call for the fire truck, which made an unnecessary run.

W. E. Briggs, junkman, of Gallia street, was arrested Tuesday evening by Officer Wells, who was called to quell a disturbance at the Briggs home. A charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct was placed against Briggs, who languishes behind the bars.

The rear trucks of street car 404 jumped the track in front of the Poplar theater Tuesday afternoon, about four o'clock. After a half hour's work the trucks were rerailed.

### At The Thalian

"Phantom Island," two part 101 Bison production featuring Francis Ford and Dorothy Davenport, is a thrilling romance of the sea. A picture well worth the price of admission. "His Partner's Sacrifice" is a Western drama of cowboy life. Two reels filled with frontier experiences. "Wanted—A Piano Tuner," is a screaming Joker comedy.

## SOCIETY

Judge and Mrs. E. B. Dillon, of Columbus, en route home from West Baden, Ind., stopped over here Wednesday to visit the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. John W. Dillon, his brother, B. H. Dillon, and sister, Mrs. G. D. Waite.

Mrs. George Sherman quietly celebrated her 81st birthday anniversary today at her home on Seventh street. Mrs. Sherman has been ill for some time and there was no entertainment for this reason.

Rev. J. W. Dunning is coming from Kalamazoo, Mich., to officiate at the Wilzee-Appel wedding, on the evening of Wednesday, April twenty-sixth. Mr. Wilzee will arrive Sunday from Petersburg, Va., to claim his bride. Mr. Carl Spreck, of Columbus, will arrive Monday, and the other out-of-town guests will arrive on Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Mahoney, who had planned to come from St. Charles, Mich., to attend the wedding of Miss Margaret Appel and Mr. Raymond B. Wilzee, will not be able to come on account of her school duties there.

### EASTER MILLINERY SALE

To accommodate late millinery buyers Mrs. Carter Brown's Hat Shop will be open each evening this week. A splendid assortment of trimmed hats will be on display. 924 Gallia. adv 19-3

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Mrs. Harry Donaldson will be the

guests.

The Shakespearean program will

be presented Saturday afternoon, at

2:30 o'clock, in the German Evangelical

Sunday school auditorium, to which all the literary clubs, the

school teachers and children and any one

interested are cordially invited.

The Matron and Maid Club will

hold the first meeting after Lent at

the home of Mrs. A. J. Mootor, on

Third street, Tuesday, May 2nd, instead

of the 9th.

Rev. and Mrs. George Davis and

children arrived last night from

China to visit Mrs. Davis' parents,

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Radin.

Wear a Corsage Bouquet Easter

Sunday. Plenty of flowers at

Hermes Floral Co. 18-21

Mrs. Charles Grassman successfully

planned a surprise supper last

evening in honor of Mr. Grassman's

birthday anniversary. Covers were

laid for Mrs. Augusta Schirrmann,

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wickerham, Mr.

and Mrs. Fred Klingman, Mr. and

Mrs. Grassman, daughter Helen and

son George.

The Clover Club will meet next

Tuesday evening at the home of

Mrs. Frank Miller, on Ninth street,

where Miss Pauline Wilhelm will

be the assisting hostess.

Miss Lizzie Neill did not go to

Ripley to the Woman's Freshlytrial

# FORESEE GREAT FUTURE FOR THE PORTSMOUTH-HUNTINGTON ZONE

## Credit Men Gather At Pleasing Banquet And Join Hands For The Benefit Of All

### ENJOY PORTSMOUTH HOSPITALITY

"I have been in Portsmouth before and know what you have here. Portsmouth is a substantial city of considerable enterprise. We saw your beautiful streets and visited many of your model industrial plants and rode over your splendid paved county roads. We are glad we came down to partake of the true Portsmouth hospitality and we are especially glad to welcome the new members from Portsmouth."—By President Robert L. Archer, cashier of the First National bank of Huntington, W. Va.

Believing that the Ohio Valley district between Huntington, W. Va., and Portsmouth is entering on an era of industrial and commercial activity that will make one of the greatest manufacturing centers in the country, preliminary plans were made Tuesday night at a splendid meeting of the business men from Huntington, W. Va., Ironton, Ashland, Ky., Greenup, Ky., and Catlettsburg, Ky.,

for a better and closer co-operation between the business men of this district. The meeting, which was called to organize a credit information and adjustment bureau among the business men of the several cities within a radius of 60 miles of Portsmouth, for the purpose of promoting better commercial relations and to eliminate many of the business failures through mutual aid, was a big success.

#### 100 MEMBERS AT MEETING

One hundred and six members of the Tri-State Association of Credit Men attended the banquet and organization meeting, held at the Elk Club. Reports that Huntington had been made the headquarters for the Combined Coal Fleets, formerly operating out of Pittsburgh, owing to the scarcity of fuel there, and the erection of a new blast furnace in Portsmouth, the construction of the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railway at Sciotoville, and the building of a new steel plant at Ashland, Ky., were received with considerable enthusiasm, for it will be one of the objects of the organization to help make this district one of the best and largest manufacturing centers in the United States.

#### LOCAL MEN WELCOME GUESTS

Headed by George C. McClure, twenty local business men met the Huntington, Ironton, Ashland and Greenup delegations at the Chesapeake and Ohio depot Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The visitors were taken to the new Excelsior shoe plant where they visited every department. They were then taken to Sciotoville to see the site of the new Chesapeake and Ohio Northern railroad bridge. Before their return to the Elk parlors, they were shown practically every manufacturing plant in the city. The whole party expressed surprise at the large number of flourishing industries located in the city and the model buildings within which they were housed.

Upon the return of the delegations from the up-river cities, the reception committee formed a line in the Elk lodge room where they received the members of the Association with an enthusiastic welcome.

Bode's orchestra rendered several selections while the members chatted and became better acquainted. A few minutes after six o'clock, the members retired to the banquet hall where a sumptuous feast was served.

#### GUESTS APPRECIATE COURTESIES

"In opening this meeting, gentlemen," declared Mr. Robert L. Archer, president of the Association, Huntington, W. Va., "it is only appropriate that we express our appreciation for the courtesies extended and the hearty manner and splendid way you have entertained us."

"We of Huntington are sometimes termed as 'hot air' artists, but I assure you that we have a high and holy regard for Huntington. We have visited your many model industrial plants and have seen your beautiful streets and seen your splendid county roads, all of which were highly enjoyable to us. We appreciate day."

#### MR. KNAUSS DISCUSSES CO-OPERATION

"I don't intend to apologize," said Frank V. Knauss, president of the local Board of Trade, smilingly. "Not being able to speak or try to make a speech. Instead, I will read you certain selections from those who know how to run the things interestingly. I have been asked to talk upon the subject of 'The Value of Co-operation.'"

"The value of co-operation," continued the speaker, "is essential to the life of a business and I am sure from my own personal observations, that credit is one of the dominant facts in the business affairs of the country."

"The business men are co-operating and are coming closer together. The fact of this is in evidence here tonight. The business men here at home are co-operating. They have a local credit rating system where the individual is listed. What has been accomplished?"

"A few years ago it was principally hit or miss in the credit fields. Credit men so far as they existed, were not expected to be contrasted as a class; and they had not built up the machinery of the department efficiency; they had not acquired that systematic knowledge of the laws and customs which enters with every credit transaction between man and man."



one of the greatest in the world for the manufacture of steel and pig iron. These things heretofore were held by Pittsburgh but the scarcity of fuel has made them relinquish their hold. Now it is up to this district.

#### SURPRISED AT PORTSMOUTH INDUSTRIES

"We were given a better opportunity to see your large manufacturing industries and I will tell you that it was some surprise to me although I have been here several times before. I never dreamed that Portsmouth had so many large industrial plants. It was a revelation. You have splendid opportunities and have a large pay roll."

"Huntington is about to start an advertising campaign and we have picked up one good point while here in Portsmouth, which we will return to you. In planning over the pamphlet depicting the industrial data of the city I noticed that in your introductory notice pertaining to the location, that you said that Portsmouth was sixty miles from Huntington on the Ohio river. That certainly is a splendid spirit to show and we will return it by saying that Huntington is located sixty miles above Portsmouth, on the Ohio river."

After Mr. Snow had completed his address, President Archer declared a ten minute recess during which John Norvell solicited subscribers to the proposed Ohio Valley Credit and Adjustment Bureau. On re-convening, George D. Selby and H. Wheeler were asked for impromptu talks.

#### TELLS OF PORTSMOUTH CO-OPERATION

"The special object of this meeting here tonight," said Mr. Selby, "as I understand it, is to organize. I take especial interest in this organization and believe that it will become a power in the business world."

"We are co-operating in Portsmouth and have been long before the Credit Men's Association was organized. As a shoe manufacturer, and I don't want to talk shoes too much, I might say that we have never had competition here. The shoe manufacturers in Portsmouth have always co-operated."

"To proceed and assist in the prosecution of the guilty party or parties when investigation discloses fraud or intent to defraud, and to create a fund to be used in the accomplishment of this end."

This report of the committee was received and discussed at length. The Huntington delegation believed that the Credit exchange should be made the more important feature in the initial organization and the Portsmouth business men urged the predominance of the adjustment feature. But all favored combining the two for mutual benefits. The final decision will be made when the officers of the new organization meet, and select their constitution and by-laws.

#### STATISTICS RULE BUSINESS TODAY

"There is nothing so dry as statistics and figures," declared H. Wheeler, vice president of the New York Credit Clearing House and credit expert, "but nothing is liked so well by the credit men because it is part of his business. This is why I always like to talk before a gathering of credit men."

"The merchants today are pulled up by statistics and pulled down without them. With them we have a focus of the right kind of the whole state, where fields, a thing heretofore unheard of, is like carrying coals from New Castle," as was suggested this afternoon.

"It is up to this district to put forth an effort and use every means at its command to make it thousands of such concerns."

act at his own volition." Dan T. Stanton, chairman of the membership committee, reported that eighteen new applications for membership were on file and moved the adoption. They were elected. Together with the new names the organization has a membership of over one hundred and forty.

#### COMMITTEEMEN ARE NAMED

Shortly before the meeting adjourned at eleven o'clock, President Robert Archer announced the appointment of the following Portsmouth business men upon the various committees: Executive committee, Frank V. Knauss and William M. Briggs; membership committee, Harry Johnson and C. E. Dowling; legislative committee, J. J. Rardin, Ben G. Dillon, Albert Graf, John M. Stockham, C. B. Egerton, of Ironton; E. J. Merrill, of Ironton; credits and adjustments committee, Salem P. Shaw; banking and currency committee, Simon L. Hold and George E. Krieger, Sr.; fire insurance committee, George McClure and J. M. Graham; bankrupt committee, William A. Wurster and Oscar A. Monrad.

Those who attended the meeting were: Huntington—C. C. Henking, E. S. Aleshire, O. E. Le Blanc, J. M. McCoach, George D. Hawkins, H. S. Potts, H. C. Binnis, E. P. Ferguson, R. J. Barlow, Ernest French, E. E. McCall, H. E. Camp, A. H. Adams, W. C. Price, C. M. Souder, William Thompson, H. J. Flann, J. H. Brown, H. M. Krish, Robert L. Archer, C. P. Snow, H. S. Irie, T. H. Bells, M. W. Dugan, J. H. Miller, G. T. Smith, W. S. Campbell, H. E. Barnett, John E. Norvell, E. H. Thornburg, H. A. Lawrence, S. C. Walburn, Homer Bell, C. B. Kinkade, C. G. Walters, E. E. Richardson, C. C. Huddleston, C. W. Kerr, John S. Senseney.

Ashland—E. J. Job, J. H. Foster, F. R. Henderson, Frank Ross, A. S. Conley, L. J. Reiter, J. B. Leech.

Catlettsburg, Ky.—H. L. Chatfield, W. L. Andrews.

The officers of the association are: R. L. Archer, Huntington, president, and H. S. Irie, Huntington, secretary and treasurer.

#### Business Trip

H. B. Campbell of 1636 Sixth street, has returned from a business trip to Strasburg, O., where he was working in the interest of the Harbison-Walker Refractories company.

#### Complaints of Brownies

Some woman complained to Chief Henry Clark Wednesday about the nightly operations of a so-called "brownie gang" of boys in the vicinity of the Pizore medicine show. As she declined to give her name the complaint was passed up.

#### Mr. Bates Returns

Architect Richard M. Bates has returned from a business trip to Huntington and Ashland.

#### Back From Columbus

Edward Brennan of Seventh street has returned from a short visit with relatives in Columbus.

## BUILDING PERMITS

Frank Watkins, sanitary sewer tap at No. 1234 Third street. Pentecostal church, cement block, south side of Sixth street, between Broadway and Harmon street. \$200. Myers, contractor.

William Buerling, \$100 veranda at No. 1621 Seventh street. Meade, contractor.

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## WANTED

WANTED:—Girl, white, for general housework in small family; sleep home. Call 1913 Hutchins.

NOTICE:—For city package delivery call D. L. Artis, Phone 915-R.

NOTICE:—Highest prices paid for second hand furniture, clothing and shoes. Phone 449-R. G. W. Rice.

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WANTED:—Paper hanging, painting, decorating to do. Frank H. Pratt, Phone 363-L.

WANTED:—Carpet to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revue &amp; Klingman, Home phone 190.

WANTED:—Man with experience as flower gardener. Apply at Mrs. Selby Shoe Co.

WANTED:—Young men and women to know Portsmouth College of Business prepares students for civil service positions. Salary \$900 to \$1200 per annum to start.

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WANTED:—2 girls at 1162 10th, opposite N. &amp; W. depot.

WANTED AT ONCE:—Brick kiln setters and brick yard men, steady work the year round at good wages. The Windsor Brick Co., 1011 Grant St., Akron, Ohio.

WANTED:—Two gentlemen boarders. 1825 8th St.

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**THE MARKETS**

## NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, April 19.—The dominant factor of today's feverish market, in which war shares suffered severely, was continued in the question of relations between this country and Germany.

Wall Street's grave view of the latest aspects of the German controversy was reflected in the weakness of stocks at today's opening.

Specialties of all descriptions, but mainly the war issues were lower by one to three points with a break of 10 for Bethlehem. There were wide openings in some of the more popular stocks, notably U. S. Steel whose first offering consisted of 3500 shares at a decline of a point. Standard stocks showed some resistance to the heavy selling which was augmented by liquidation from interior points. Secondary prices were confined to some stocks making slight recoveries while most others manifested increasing weakness.

Extreme nervousness accompanied the morning's operations, dealings in the first hour being on a large and diversified scale. Early losses were generally supplemented, speculating issues recording extreme declines of 8 to 10 points.

Short selling was again a material factor, traders concentrating their efforts to depress prices upon the vulnerable specialties. Published extracts of the note to Germany were not calculated to allay alarm but the market showed irregular improvements and dullness with the approach of noon. Firmness of rates on Germany was the significant feature of the bond market.

Bond values heavy with further extensive trading in the Anglo-French issues and rails.

Fresh selling of specialties and other leaders sent prices to new minimums in the final dealings. The closing was weak.

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FOR RENT:—3 room furnished flat for light housekeeping, modern, phone 553.

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7-1f

FOR RENT:—Three room flat. 1306 High St.

19-1f

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FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms for light housekeeping gas and bath included. 930 Gallia.

22-1f

FOR RENT:—House at 415 Court. Call at 702 Ninth.

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17-3f

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## NEW YORK STOCKS

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 Women's pure Silk Hose, Black, White and colors, per pair .....50c  
 Men's fine Lisle Hose, Black and Colors, per pair .....15c  
 Men's fine Silk Top Hose, Black and colors, per pair .....15c  
 Men's pure Silk Hose, Black and colors, per pair .....25c  
 Women's fine Sleeveless Vests ..... 10 and 15c  
 Women's Silk Lisle Vests, 50c values, .....18c  
 Women's Union Suits, lace trimmed, regular and extra sizes .....25c  
 Women's fine Lisle Union Suits, regular and extra sizes .....50c  
 Boys' Union Suits, sleeveless and knee lengths, nainsook, poris knit and balbriggan styles .....25c  
 Men's Union Suits, poris knit, balbriggan and nainsook .....50c  
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## WATCHED CAT BEING KILLED

According to reports, a young man stood in front of the home of a well known Gallia street resident Tuesday afternoon and watched a large dog attack a pet cat and shake it to pieces. Residents in the vicinity are highly indignant over the cruelty displayed by the young man as he appeared to enjoy the scene. An effort is being made to ascertain his identity.

## WILL BEAUTIFY CITY GROUND

The fire laddies of the East End Company of the city fire department are among those working for a "city beautiful" for Portsmouth. The "boys" intend to plant glass and flowers of many

kinds in the triangular space between Eighth and Gallia street, west of Lincoln, near the engine house, and will be glad to receive flower seeds or bulbs from anybody who wishes to help them in their improvement.

## FARMER WINS SUIT

Verdict in favor of the defendant was returned Wednesday in the case of W. H. Fugitt against Carl Farmer, heard in common pleas court on appeal from Squire Byron's court. The suit was filed several months ago to collect money upon a note alleged to have been executed in payment for rent on a house in Ironton. The amount claimed was \$25.70.

Mayor A. J. Hannan, Ironton, was one of the material witnesses for the defense. Nate Gilliland

represented the defense and F. T. Moreland the plaintiff.

Attorney Moreland stated Wednesday that he had filed a motion for a new trial.

## HIGH SCHOOL DANCE

A dance will be given for high school students on the evening of May 2 in Ben Hur hall. Davison's orchestra will furnish the music. The committee in charge of the dance is composed of Vance Morris, William Quinn, Ralph Appel and Vancil Alexander.

## Local Men At Meeting

Rev. George P. Horst, George Patton, George Carlyle, W. L. Leedom, Fred B. Winter and B. F. Kinable of the Second Presbyterian church had a splendid time at the Union Bible class meeting held in Augusta, Ky., Tuesday night. Over 200 were present, the meeting being held in the First Christian church. After a short musical program each of the local men was called upon for a short talk on how to increase Sunday School interest and attendance. Fred B. Winter made the hit of the evening when he closed his talk with a short talk on the European war situation.

## HAMMER AND PAINT

Mrs. Charles Book of 1616 Sixth street, is having a fine 7 room house erected on the front of her lot. Contractor Frank May is doing the work.

Contractor Frank May has a force of men at work excavating a cellar for a fine home he is going to put up at 1736 Seventh street. May is also erecting an eight room house at 1734 Seventh street.

John Dice, Sr., has razed the high fence in front of the lot adjacent to his carriage factory building on Second street, leveled some old trees and is cleaning up the premises generally.

Workmen are engaged in making changes to the upper half of the front of the Salvage store. The change when completed will improve the light of this big store.

Thomas Thomas is having a cement sidewalk put down in front of his Third street home.

Complaints of Boys  
 Mrs. John Wurster, of 1407 Sixth street, complained to the police Wednesday about boys playing base ball in the immediate vicinity of her home. Officer Richmond was detailed to disperse them.

A Treat For Huntington.  
 W. P. Minego and R. E. Scott spent Wednesday in Huntington, W. Va., on a short business trip.

## USING UP VITALITY

The struggle for success uses up vitality in America at a greater rate than anywhere else. Fighting to keep away from the poor-house, we shorten the distance to the grave.

Especially in middle age, at forty or thereabouts, do we become impressed with the necessity of laying up a competence and with that feeling in time comes worry, nervous breakdown, neurasthenia. The entire system feels the result of the nervous strain. The digestion rejects things that it accepted before, the least palpitation or slight exertion, the muscles of the back ache after a day's work. Your blood is thinner and not so bright a red.

When these things occur, whether you are fourteen or forty, you need a tonic. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills suit most people's need because they are non-alcoholic and they really build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They are useful for growing children and for men and women whose nervous energy has been overtaxed.

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## HALL BROS.

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LOCATION SOUGHT; MONEY NEEDED

Anxious mothers who have been inquiring at the Associated Charities concerning the Day Nursery, will be glad to know that a competent woman has been secured to take charge of the work as soon as suitable rooms can be secured.

Two or three well lighted, unfurnished rooms with the use of a bath are necessary, also a good back yard for play ground. The location is desired between Washington and Waller streets, and not further north than Gallia or Sixth street, if possible to secure rooms in this district.

The nursery will be open from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. Lunches consisting of soups, cereals, fruits, milk and easily digested foods will be served at 10 a. m., noon and 3 p. m. When the children enter the nursery their outer clothing will be removed, and clean dresses and rompers will be supplied for play for the day. Baths will be given as necessary. Some of our best physicians have offered their services if at any time needed. In many, many homes the mother is the sole bread winner and can not have work at all times because of having no place to send her babies while she works away from home. The Day Nursery will care for them for 5 cents per day. In order to care for some whose mothers are not able to pay for three or four children, or for one child each day in the week, contributions of money will be necessary. We have men and women in Portsmouth who will be glad to help these mothers to get work and help this much needed institution. Donations of any amount will be greatly appreciated.

Any one wishing to aid the Day Nursery in this material manner, may leave their contribution at the Associated Charities any forenoon after 9 o'clock, and it will be turned over to the president of the nursery, or call Mrs. D. A. Grimes, phone 942.

## Changes At Phone Office

Miss Mary Sims, information operator at the Portsmouth Telephone Company, after the first of the month, will become a clerk in the office of the same concern.

Miss Katherine Markham, toll operator will succeed Miss Sims and Miss Gertrude Zuehl, local operator, will succeed Miss Markham.

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WITH THE SICK  
 J. F. Pittenger of Seventh street who has been ill for a year with complications, is no better.

Misses Etta, Belle and Elizabeth Eden, who make their home with Mrs. C. H. Smith of Kendall avenue, received a telegram late Tuesday telling them that their nephew Walter, seven months old son of their brother, Ora Eden was dying at their home in Soldier, Ky. They left early Wednesday morning for Soldier, Ky.

Fred Pollack, student at the Portsmouth College of Business, who has been seriously ill with appendicitis for a week at the

## SEINING NOT ALLOWED

Persons residing in Ohio are not allowed to use seines to catch fish, according to a statement made by Judge Harry Ball Wednesday. Provisions are made under the statute for seining minnows with a seine with a maximum depth of

four feet and a maximum length of eight feet.

Seining in all inland waters for fish over the minnow stage is prohibited. Certain provisions are also made as to seining along the Great Lakes.

home of his sister, Mrs. Ray Murphy of Sixth street, is improving.

Mrs. Emma Oseinton of 1805 Summit street, who has been ill many weeks with the grip has recovered.

Mrs. Clarence Marshall of 1726 Sixth street, who has been seriously ill with grip is not much better.

Mrs. A. W. Folsom and daughter, Miss Mabel Folsom of 1730 Birch street, have been ill for some time.

Charles McFar of 1638 Sixth street, who has been quite ill with acute indigestion is better.

Miss Frances Jackson of 1633 Sixth street, continues ill with the grip.

Mrs. G. Williams of 1643 Sixth street, who has been ill six weeks with inflammatory rheumatism is no better.

James Minford, 73, a resident of the North End, was stricken with paralysis Tuesday night. His left side is affected and his condition is serious.

Attorney Will J. Meyer has returned from a business trip to Columbus. While there he contracted a heavy cold.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson of 1724 Seventh street, who has been ill two months with grip, remains about the same. She suffered a slight attack of heart trouble several days ago. She was reported resting easy Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Kellek of 1707 Seventh street, who has recently underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital, is improving.

Mrs. W. D. Pogue of Louisa, Ky. arrived Wednesday to visit her friend, Mrs. E. W. Richard. She will leave Thursday for Cincinnati to visit her daughter, Eliza who is attending St. Ursula Academy.

## Suit Over Apples

The Stockham Ice company entered suit against the Norfolk & Western railway Wednesday in common pleas court to collect damages alleged sustained when the railway company failed to notify them that a car load of apples had been refused by a customer in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Judgment for \$400 is asked. Millar and Micklethwait represent the plaintiff.

Will Aid Woman  
 Police Chief Henry Clark has interested himself in Mrs. Sabilla Hilliard, the aged woman, who a few days ago tried to admit herself to the Home for Aged Women, and who is being temporarily cared for by Salvation Army officers. The chief learned that the woman is rather well provided with money and will seek to deport her back to Ashland, Ky.

John Dice, Sr., has razed the high fence in front of the lot adjacent to his carriage factory building on Second street, leveled some old trees and is cleaning up the premises generally.

Workmen are engaged in making changes to the upper half of the front of the Salvage store. The change when completed will improve the light of this big store.

Thomas Thomas is having a cement sidewalk put down in front of his Third street home.

Complaints of Boys  
 Mrs. John Wurster, of 1407 Sixth street, complained to the police Wednesday about boys playing base ball in the immediate vicinity of her home. Officer Richmond was detailed to disperse them.

A Treat For Huntington.  
 W. P. Minego and R. E. Scott spent Wednesday in Huntington, W. Va., on a short business trip.

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When these things occur, whether you are fourteen or forty, you need a tonic. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills suit most people's need because they are non-alcoholic and they really build up the blood and strengthen the nerves. They are useful for growing children and for men and women whose nervous energy has been overtaxed.

## Fire At Oak Hill

Mitchell Tope's grocery, Belcher's bakery and Ed Jones cottage were completely destroyed by fire in an early morning fire at Oak Hill, Wednesday.

The fire originated in the bakery. The properties, all of which were one story frames, were located on Railroad street, a half square from the main street of the town. Tope had just purchased the grocery two weeks ago. The properties were about 60 per cent insured.

That the flames was confined to the several properties was due to the excellent work of a bucket brigade, the town's recently purchased chemical wagon not yet having been delivered.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

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Don't let another sun set with your WANT untold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 9,000 homes every day.

## Needs More Room

John Swearingin, who recently purchased the Paynes Bros. grocery in the James P. Brennan stand and merged his own grocery stock with it, finds he will be cramped for space and accordingly is adding more shelves.

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father, who is general superintendent of the Portsmouth district of the Harbison-Walker Refractories Company, was absent from the city.

Besides the parents, the baby is survived by a brother, Master John, who is 2 years and 4 months old.

The father arrived home from Strasburg, O., Wednesday noon. The funeral will be held from the home Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, with Rev. George P. Horst in charge. Interment will be made in Greenlawn.

## William Winter

Mrs. Samuel Lindenmeyer, of Sixth and Washington streets, was unexpectedly called to Urbana, O., yesterday, where her father, the late William Winter, will be buried to-day. Mr. Winter, who was 51 years old, died suddenly last Sunday at the home of his daughter in Billings, Mo. He conducted a bakery for many years in Urbana. Mr. Winter, who visited Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Lindenmeyer here two years ago, is survived by five daughters.

James Watkins Lowry  
 The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lowry, of No. 1901 Officers street, will be shocked to learn that their ten-month-old baby son, James Watkins Lowry, strangled to death Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The mother, who was formerly Miss Judith Watkins, daughter of County Commissioner Thomas W. Watkins, had just started to give the baby his feeding. He had no sooner commenced draining the nursing bottle than he began choking. The mother, failing in her efforts to relieve him, sent in hurry calls for Drs. R. O. LeBaron and Dr. Albert Berndt. The latter was the first to reach the home, and taking in the situation at a glance, quickly sent for the city pulmonologist. The life-saving device, however, proved useless, as the infant had expired.

The baby, while not regarded as weak, was of very small size for his age, weighing only nine pounds.

A sad feature of the sudden death of the little one is the fact that the

How To Regain Strength  
 The great factor that retards recovery after sickness is that weakened devitalized condition, and it will interest our readers to know that our local druggist, Frank Amann, has a reliable, non-secret strength creator called Vinol, which contains iron for the blood, the curative medicinal extractives of fresh cod livers and the nourishing properties of beef peptone, all combined in a delicious native wine. For weak, run-down conditions and to regain strength after sickness, there is nothing better.

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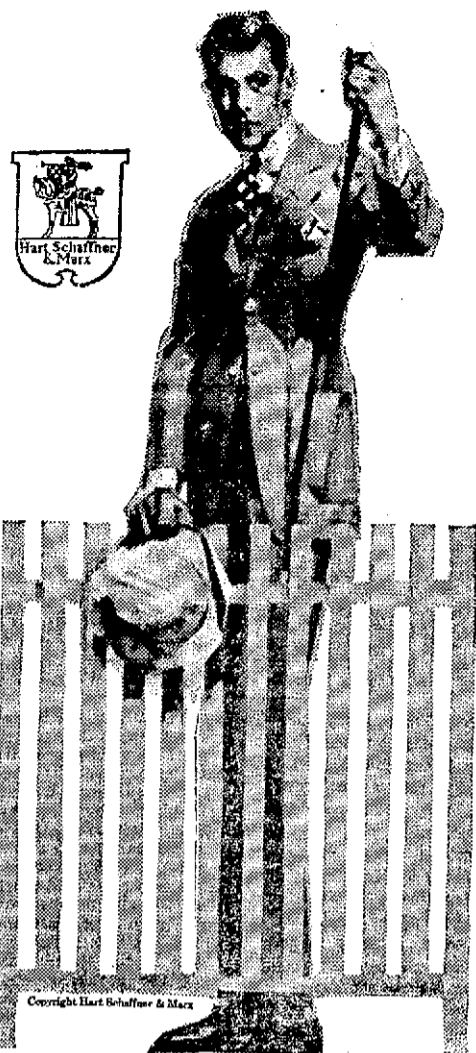
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## Card-u-i

The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. L. Drew, of McLeansboro, Ill., says: "I was afflicted with pains and irregularity. I suffered continually, was dependent and weak and had headache and headache. I took Card-u-i, and in one month I felt like a new woman. I am now in perfect health, and recommend Card-u-i to all suffering women. Why wait? Try Card-u-i today." E-4

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### "Most Stylish Suits in America"

THAT'S what Hart Schaffner & Marx Varsity Fifty Five is called by the best dressed young men of the country; you'll see why when you see this suit.

Here in one, two or three button variations; note the high waisted effect; it's the smart touch young men want.

\$18, \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$28

## Criterion Clothing Co.

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## COUNTY NEWS

The directors of the Scioto County Agricultural Society are planning to send the boy who raises the largest yield of corn upon an acre of ground on the annual Corn Boy's tour of the eastern states. This trip is one of the most delightful within the range of the tourists and the boys are royally entertained in each place they visit.

The directors of the Fair association are expecting several entries. The Scioto county boys are capable and willing and it is hoped that the race for the coveted trip will be interesting and exciting.

Everything is in readiness for the South Webster High School commencement exercises which will be held Friday evening, April 28th at 7:30 o'clock in the South Webster M. E. church. A class play will be given on

Thursday evening before the commencement. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered next Sunday evening at the M. E. church by Rev. Charles Lee Dix, pastor of the church. Rev. Dix has chosen for his subject "Character Building." The baccalaureate exercises will begin at 7:30 o'clock. The graduates, this year are John Fenton of South Webster and Anna Kanouse of Hales Creek.

The South Webster orchestra will furnish the music at the commencement exercises. The program is as follows: March, Officer of the Day—Orchestra.

Invocation—Rev. Floyd Bastick. Overture, Monarch—Orchestra. Class Prophecy—Anna Jackson Kanouse. March, Guard of Honor—Orchestra.

Commencement Address—Prof. L. E. Wolfe, Ohio State University. Dodgers March—Orchestra. Presentation of Diplomas—President A. B. Fenton.

March, Commonwealth—Orchestra. Benediction—Rev. Charles Lee Dix.

"The Masonic Ring" is the title of the class play. Come and see "The Masonic Ring" or "The Adventures of a College Bride" presented by an able cast selected from the student body of the South Webster high school. This delightful farce in three acts will be given at 7:30 p. m., April 27th in the opera house. The character parts directed by Miss Grace E. Morris and Prof. A. L. Wilson (the faculty) will be taken as follows: Roderick York, a jealous husband—Virgil Akers. Bartholomew Jeremiah Farris—brother, a detective—Wilbur Scott. Fred Hall, cousin to Mrs. R.

### BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove it

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York . . . . . John Fenton. Mrs. R. York, otherwise known as "Flossie," a recent college graduate and bride of three weeks. . . . . Lucile Beecher. Madams York, mother of R. York. . . . . Anna Kanouse. Peace York, the stern elderly sister of Rod. York. . . . . Marie Jackson. Ethel Winn, college chum of Flossie. . . . . Cecil Kuhner. Miss Daleney Jones, a deaf elderly friend of the family. . . . . Louella Kanouse. Tildie McCormick, 14 year old ward of Miss Jones. . . . . Marie Cadot. Como and help Mr. York's detective solve the important question concerning the identity of Rowland Hall. Who is Rowland Hall? Flossie and Ethel know but Mr. York does not find out until the last act. You must not miss it—therefore buy a ticket at once as they are going fast. The house will seat 250 and if enough tickets are sold the play will be repeated on Saturday night after the commencement.

Mrs. Wilson Jones is the proud possessor of over 200 little chicks on her West Side farmplace.

Practically all of the farmers in the vicinity of Lucasville are busy doing their spring plowing. The bottom land is in splendid shape and the farmers are preparing to seed for a late planting. The recent high water and frequent rains have delayed the usual early planting.

A baby daughter was born to Willard Beckman, a painter, and wife at their home on the West Side, Monday.

Stereopticon Lecture At Powellsville

Next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, sun time, Rev. D. R. Hoan, of Ironton, will deliver a stereopticon lecture on "Palestine of Today, or a Trip Through the Holy Land," at the Lutheran church, Powellsville, Ohio. There will be 81 pictures. Admission free and a silver collection to pay expenses. All cordially invited.

O. W. Hill, of Dry Run, began plowing corn in his bottom-lands, Monday. Pond Creek farmers are also beginning to plow, now that the ground has become sufficiently dried.

A committee composed of Arthur S. Moulton, Clyde Brant and A. F. Miller was appointed by the Lucasville Lodge No. 465, F. & A. M. to open negotiations with the trustees of Valley township for the purchase of the town hall. Should the trustees be willing to sell the property, the Masons will add a third story and install club rooms.

"Should the committee be unsuccessful," said Mr. Brant, "we will probably make arrangements to build a new temple."

Mrs. George Bowers, who has been ill at her home in Brouse's Run for the past four weeks, is now reported very low.

Rumors and counter-rumors are current around and about Lucasville concerning a co-operative corn elevator. The farmers are formulating plans to build and operate a new elevator and pool the corn from the farms belonging to the stockholders and dispose of it in wholesale lots upon the Eastern or Chicago markets.

George Morgan, of Bear Creek, is engaged in plowing a garden for Mrs. George Suthers at Rushtown.

M. Barney, of Long Run, was at Rushtown purchasing supplies Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Russell, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, at her home in Rushtown, is improving.

Mrs. L. J. Vaughters, of Rushtown, has been called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. H. W. Hibbs, of Otway, who was taken suddenly ill Tuesday with pneumonia.

Mrs. Norman Adams, of Wheelersburg, was shopping in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Middaugh and son Henry Middaugh, of New Boston, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Cook, of the West Side. Mr. Middaugh is a brother-in-law of Mr. Cook.

Miss Anna Ranshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ranshaw, is visiting in the city.

Itching Torture Stops

It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, ringworm, rashes and skin troubles. A little Zemo, gotten at any drug store for 25c, or \$1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful disappearing liquid and does not smart the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress.

shahous, of Wheelersburg, left for Ironton Tuesday to visit her sister Mrs. F. F. Littlejohn.

Miss Mary Ray, of Rosemount Road, who was operated upon at Hempstead hospital last Saturday is getting along nicely.

Miss Averil Hunsinger, Buena Vista school teacher, spent Sunday with home folks at Wheelersburg.

Enoch McCall, of Sandy Springs, who has been dangerously ill, was reported better Monday.

Walter Haveron, who is working as N. & W. stenographer in Portsmouth, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haveron, at South Webster. He made the trip on his motorcycle.

The Men's Bible class of the Wheelersburg M. E. church, is still growing, several new members being added to the class membership Sunday. The class is the biggest in the village and is making teaching of Clark Burns.

Jake Hetzel and Jack Kaltenberg set out quite a number of fruit trees on their West Side farm places Monday.

Clara Boehn has returned to her home in Buena Vista after a several weeks' visit with her brother, Charles Boehn, at Montgomery, O.

John Sauer and Bert Jones, of Wheelersburg, visited friends on Pond Run Sunday.

Mrs. Collins Bradford has returned to her home near Manchester, after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Boyce, at Buena Vista.

Prof. George Nans, of the Buena Vista school, will spend Sunday with friends in Portsmouth.

## HAS BOUGHT A BUICK

Harry Wilson, an employee of the Whitaker-Glessner company, has purchased a Buick automobile.

## TO HELP AT REVIVAL

J. H. Finney will go to Marion, O., next week to assist Rev. Geo. L. Pake, who is planning to conduct a big revival meeting in his church in that city. Rev. Pake was for a number of years located in Portsmouth.

While in Marion Mr. Finney will also address a banquet to be held by representatives of the Equitable Life Insurance company.

Auto Parts Arrive

The parts for repairing the disabled city auto fire engine have arrived but Fire Chief George Koerner would not venture an opinion Tuesday as to how soon the truck would be ready for service again.

### ALSPAUGH

For a good Porch Swing. Cannot pull apart.

### Firm Gets New Room

William Assmann, manager of the Woolworth store in Grand Rapids, which was recently badly damaged by fire writes friends that the firm has opened a store just across the street from the scene of the fire. Day and night shifts of men are making repairs to the room gutted by fire.

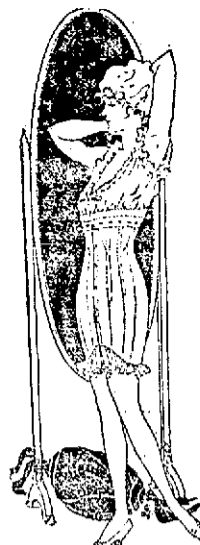
### How to Heal Skin-Diseases

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering from eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles. At any reliable drugstore get a jar of Zemo ointment and a cake of Zemo soap. These are not at all expensive. With the Zemo soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the Zemo ointment, and cover with a light bandage. If necessary to protect the clothing, this should be done. The itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.

Almost any soap will clean the skin and hair. But those who want a soap which not only cleans but actually helps the complexion and hair are wise to choose Zemo.

## A Word To the Well Dressed Woman

The dawning vogue is one of personality. Style tendencies will be interpreted in terms of the wearer's figure, and mode must lend itself to the enhancements of individual charm. Thus Smith Fashion, and her doers are perfectly fulfilled in



## Bon-Ton Corsets

The infinite flexibility of WUNDABOHN permits generous use of boning—the secret of figure-shaping and form control. In the new models appear the delicately curved waist, straight front and charming flat back effect. Busts are of medium height; skirts, neither too long nor too short. You may pay as little or as much as your purse dictates, the prices being

\$3.50 to \$5.00

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## VACATION TIME NEAR

An effort will be made to have city council tonight provide for substitutes to serve during the police and firemen's vacation periods.

The department heads hope to have the vacation season start May 1. Two substitutes will be required for the police department and three for the fire department, the regulars to receive ten days' rest each at full pay. William Goodman, a former

N. & W. engineer, who was among those cut off when Mallet engines were put into service at this end of the line, has been named as one of the police substitutes, and as a vacancy has been created by Patrolman Preston Sheppard being laid up from injuries received in an automobile accident, he will go on duty tonight. Mr. Goodman returned here from West Virginia Wednesday morning.

### EAGLES WILL INSPECT STREET FAIR

A half dozen automobile parties composed of local Eagles plan to visit Circleville on April 26 to take in the street fair there and get a line on the carnival company which is the same engaged by the River City Aerie for a week's fair here the first of next month.

## REALTY DEALS

Mary C. and H. K. Duncan to W. I. Conklin, east half lot 81, Noel and McElhenny addition, city, \$1.

T. C. Patterson, auditor, to C. A. Crabtree, 35 acres Union township, \$453.

C. A. and Lexie Crabtree to Joe and Sam Roman, 35 acres, Union township, \$1.

Samuel Wilson to Edward Cunningham, 196 1-2 acres, Morgan township, \$1.

Benjamin E. and Edna L. Stewart to Charles R. Warrack, lot 33, Sunset park, \$1.

Isaac and Binda Moore to Milton H. Longfellow, trustee, lot 17, Lakeside addition, New Boston, \$1.

Charles and Alice Wellman to Robert Dodge, lot 144 Mount addition, city, \$1.

Ennie and William S. Kent to William Mullins, 925 acres, Harrison township, \$1.

Agnes Dodge to Charles Wellman, 22.5 acres Porter township, \$1.

Julia and William Mullins to Eunice A. Kent, lots 12 and 13 Kendall addition, city, \$1.

Ira E. and Agnes M. Coriell to the Norfolk and Western Railway, part lot 8, W. D. Hore addition, city, \$1.

Belle B. Finney to Charles W. Bierley, lot 58, village of New Boston, \$1.

### In New Position

Miss Rosena Russell has resigned her position as a stenographer in Judge Blair's office and has accepted a similar one in L. Taylor and Son's office in the First National Bank building.

### Arranges For Street Fair

Herbert C. Tice, representing the Meyerhoff attractions of New York is in the city. He has completed arrangements for a street fair to be held here in August under the auspices of the Loyal Order of Moose.

### Families Move

Mrs. Augusta Ross moved Tuesday from 1706 Sixth street to 606 Campbell avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kral have moved to 1913 Seventh street from 1706 Sixth street.

### That's a Promise, Louis

Louis Seitz left yesterday for New York city. Lou prides himself upon being some pumpkins of a sleuth and before taking his departure called on the police officials, assuring them that he would be back in six weeks time with "Hi Yaller" in custody.

### Back From Waverly

Judge A. Z. Blair has returned from a visit to Waverly, where he transacted legal business.

### An Easy Way to Increase Weight

### Good Advice for Thin Folks

The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they insist on drugging their stomach or stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless "flesh creams," or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness goes untouched. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat.

There is a preparation known to reliable druggists almost everywhere which seemingly embodies the missing elements needed by the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. This modern treatment is called Sargol and has been termed the greatest of flesh-builders. Sargol aims through regenerative, reconstructive powers to coax the stomach and intestines to literally soak up the fattening elements of your food and pass them into the blood, where they are carried to the starved, broken-down cells and tissues of your body. You can readily picture what result this amazing transformation should produce as with increased weight the cheeks fill out, hollows about neck, shoulders and bust disappear and from 10 to 20 pounds of solid, healthy flesh is added to the body. Sargol is absolutely harmless, inexpensive, efficient. The Fisher & Streich pharmacy and other leading druggists of this vicinity have it and will refund your money if you are not satisfied, as per the guarantee found in every package.

NOTE: Sargol is recommended only as a flesh builder and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported rare should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.



## Newest of the New In Spring Blouses

At this time when deliveries of merchandise are so belated and everything is hard to secure, we were delighted to receive the other day a shipment of new Spring blouses of the better sort, fresh from the makers just in time for Easter selling.

### Crepe de Chines and Georgette Crepe

These new blouses come in the prettiest and most desirable spring shades and the styles are beautiful.

These new blouses are priced at \$3.95, \$5.00 and upwards.

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## MAUNDY THURSDAY TO BE OBSERVED TOMORROW AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH

The "Dies Mandati" or Day ofstitution of the Blessed Sacrament on this day and it is expected that, as in former years, they will be attended by large numbers of communicants. The rector has made a special appeal to all communicants who can possibly do so to attend one or other of these celebrations. There will be Vesper service at 7:30 p. m. and after this service the altar will be stripped of all its ornaments in preparation for the Good Friday officers. The ceremonies connected with this day are the most ancient of all those connected with Holy Week.

## Kids Get Spools

Discarded film spools with which a front window of the Fowler Camera Shop was filled to form a novel display were given away by the thousands to school children Tuesday evening. The scramble of the youngsters, who carried away spools by the hat full was quite a sight to behold.

## Moves to West Virginia

John Reynolds, an N. & W. engineer, who lost his position through the introduction of Mallet engines on the Scioto division, has moved back to West Virginia with his family.

## In the Early Stages of Tuberculosis

Your chances for defeating this dreaded affection depend largely on your ability to restore normal body functions. To do this, one requirement is proper attention to diet and pure food. Also rest and fresh air, day and night. Where the system is run down and the likelihood of serious consequences thus increased, Eckman's Alternative may prove beneficial, as it has in many cases. This is a time treatment—but unlike any other. For here the lime content is so combined with other ingredients as to be easily assimilated by the average person. A trial can do no harm, since Eckman's Alternative contains no poisonous or habit-forming drugs. At your druggist's. Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia.

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The Diamond is the birthstone for April! We have a magnificent display for your examination

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Many stout men find it difficult to get the right fit. Come here and you'll see how perfectly my clothes follow the lines of your body.

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For Men and  
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WATCH MY WINDOWS

## IF IT'S EASTER SILVERWARE

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### WHY NOT THE BEST

We carry a complete line of Community Silver in all patterns and quality, either the ten, the twenty-five or the fifty-year quality.

**We have a very special Easter Proposition to Offer You**

In a 26 piece set of Community par plate, with their ten year guarantee for

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We also carry a full line of "1847" Roger Bros. X X X and Quadruple Plate. It will pay you to see our line before you purchase.

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## DAY IN CONGRESS

### SENATE

Considered taking up good roads bill.

### HOUSE

Voted to insist in conference on its free sugar repeal bill indefinitely postponing suspension of the sugar import tax.

### PASTOR RESIGNS

East Liverpool, O., April 19.—Rev. W. J. Thompson, pastor of the First Baptist church here, has resigned to take effect May 1.

## BRIGHTER CHILDREN

Children are probably brighter to day than a generation ago—but are they stronger? That's a grave question. So many pinched faces, dulled eyes and languid feelings make us wonder if they will ever grow into robust, healthy men and women.

If your children catch colds easily, are tired when rising, lack healthy color, or find studies difficult, give them Scott's Emulsion for one month to enrich their blood and restore the body forces to healthy action.

Scott's Emulsion is used in private schools. It is not a "patent medicine," simply a highly concentrated oil-food, without alcohol or harmful drugs. It cannot harm; it improves blood; it benefits lungs and strengthens the system. Your druggist has it—refuse substitutes.

## Easter Gifts

That are appreciated and inexpensive, just a few suggestions of the most popular novelties.

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| <p>WRIST WATCH<br/>BROOCH PINS<br/>LAVALLIERS<br/>DIAMOND RING<br/>STICK PINS<br/>BOOK MARKERS<br/>EASTER SPOONS<br/>SILVER NOVELTIES<br/>MESH BAGS</p> | <p>BUD VASES<br/>DORIN BOXES<br/>VANITY CASES<br/>ROSARIES<br/>CROSSES<br/>NECK CHAINS<br/>AMBER BEADS<br/>PEARL NECKLACES<br/>CAMEO RING S</p> |
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We've a big assortment of Rosaries, something entirely new, Rosary Rook Case.

**Otto Zoellner & Bro.**  
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# BREAK WITH GERMANY

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and remaining standing until the senators were seated.

While the senators were taking their seats President Wilson reached the capitol and waited in Speaker Clark's office just outside the chamber. As the president entered the chamber, just before one o'clock, senators, representatives, cabinet and galleries rose. An outburst of applause gave way to loud cheering. During this demonstration, the president shook hands with the speaker and the vice president and then bowed to the assemblage.

The president began his address, speaking slowly and distinctly. His voice was heard throughout the chamber.

As the president began the review of the German submarine campaign, there was no demonstration to punctuate his recital of the sacrifice of American lives. Not a sound was heard above the president's voice as he spoke the name Lusitania.

Every head bowed forward as the president indicated that he was approaching the keynote of his message, the announcement of the course he will pursue. His declaration that Germany had made it plain she intended to continue indiscriminate warfare in defiance of international law and the protests of the United States, was followed by the statement that this determination had left but one course open to the United States.

When he pronounced the words of the ultimatum declaring that unless Germany should immediately declare and effect an abandonment of indiscriminate submarine warfare, this government would have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations, there was still no demonstration, only a tense silence and a reflection of the gravity of his words.

When he concluded with expression of hope that Germany would so act to avert a regrettable break with America, the assembly broke into cheers.

It was 1:14 o'clock when the president concluded. He had spoken just fifteen minutes. Applause started from the Democratic side, and the Republican members then joined. Democrats began rising to their feet and soon the entire assemblage was standing. The applause lasted perhaps a minute, and as the president passed out of the chamber, died away. Speaker Clark referred the address to the foreign affairs committee and the house resumed its regular business.

Speaker Clark and Democratic Leader Kitchin declined to comment on the note. They said they desired to digest it fully before saying anything.

"If the sending of a note to Germany was as mild a position as the president could take," said Representative Flood, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, "I think it will meet with the approval of congress and the country."

"I think this government should be neutral," said Republican Leader Mann. "The president never has been neutral. He has been on the English side all along. What he said about Germany, while it is grossly exaggerated, is a just complaint. But he could say just the same about England and our shipping, substituting 'sinking ships' for 'sinking ships'. It is a mistake to break off diplomatic relations with Germany. That is simply to quit in a pet. It is perfectly evident that the president as a campaign political dodger, is trying to work to a point where he can get into a war with Germany during a presidential campaign."

Washington, D. C., April 19.—The text of the president's note to Germany will probably be given out late this afternoon.

Washington, D. C., April 19.—Senator Phelan, Democrat, of California, today introduced a joint resolution to reaffirm the belief of the United States in peaceful relations with Germany, and to discuss the submarine settlement of international dispute with him and a conference probably will be arranged for tomorrow. Yesterday Secretary Lansing informed him he could not discuss the subject.

Akron, O., April 19.—Julius Frank, former county commissioner and president of the Akron German-American Alliance, Wednesday said he would call a meeting of officers to send telegrams to representatives in congress, asking them to lend their influence to prevent a break of diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States.

Washington, D. C., April 19.—President Wilson after sending the note to Germany warning her that unless attacks on merchantmen carrying Americans, in violation of international law are stopped, diplomatic relations would be severed, conferred at the White House with Senators Stone and Lodge and Representatives Flood and Cooper, ranking Democrats and Republican members of the congressional foreign affairs committee.

The president explained that the note practically is an ultimatum but does not contain a time limit. A demand is made, however, that Germany reply immediately.

The note went forward last night in code by way of Copenhagen. The president wanted it to be in the hands of Ambassador Gerard or the German foreign office when he appeared before Congress.

The members who heard the president's outline did not understand it to be an ultimatum in the sense that the term is principally used but considered it to have that effect. Senator Lodge asked the president about the use of the word "ultimatum" in that connection and was told it meant that Germany should be given an opportunity to receive the communication and to make reply.

The evidence in the Sussex case

was referred to, and the president pointed out the apparent similarity in the accounts of the time and place of the attack upon her and the attack admitted by Germany to have been made by one of her submarines on a ship in that vicinity. The president believes the evidence in the Sussex case is convincing.

While the president has the authority to break off diplomatic relations, congress alone has power to declare war, and there is only one instance in modern history where a break in diplomatic relations between the first class powers has not been followed by war. It is the situation between Germany and Italy.

First class powers have suspended relations with lesser states and lesser states have broken between themselves without hostilities but all diplomatic history points to a state of war when two first class powers reach that point.

# RUSSIANS CAPTURE

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artillery to the troops operating in the coastal region.

### Caucasian Army Praised

"Credit for this fresh victory also is partly due to the assistance given the Caucasian army by the troops operating in other directions in Asia Minor. By their desperate fighting and heroic exploits, they did everything in their power to facilitate the task of the detachments on the coast."

Trebizond is a city of Asia Minor on the Black Sea, 575 miles east of Constantinople, and 100 miles north of Erzerum, the town stormed by the Russians on February 16. Trebizond has a population of about 40,000 including some 18,000 Christians.

The importance of the Black Sea port was due to its command of the point where the chief trade route from Persia and Central Asia descends to the sea. It is separated from the rest of Asia Minor by a barrier of rugged mountains, 7,000 to 8,000 feet high, which the Russian armies had to traverse.

Since the fall of Erzerum and the capture three weeks later of Batumi, the Turks are said to have increased the Trebizond garrison until it contained three complete divisions, or about 54,000 men, and to have done everything possible to strengthen the Black Sea port.

### ARSENAL DESTROYED

Paris, April 19.—A Lisbon despatch to the Matin says that the loss occasioned by the burning of the naval arsenal at Lisbon is very heavy. Scientific equipment, including naval charts and chronometers were destroyed. The government is investigating circumstances which indicate that the fire was incendiary.

### STONE QUARRY IS CAPTURED BY GERMANS

Berlin, April 19.—(Via London.)—The report today from the war office says that the stone quarry south of Handremont farm in the Verdun district, east of the Meuse, has been captured by German troops, thus completing the success of the previous day.

Getting Hat Samples  
The Portsmouth Hat company's salesmen are spending the week here getting out their fall samples. Those who arrived Wednesday were J. C. Collins, of Pennsylvania, W. A. H. C. Thomas, of McConnellsville, O., and J. B. Lykins and M. G. Bothwell, of this city.

### A Sure Way To End Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it gently with the finger tips. Be vigorous, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be shiny, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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sometimes passengers or crews have been vouchsafed the poor security of being allowed to take to the ship's boats before she was sent to the bottom.

"But, again and again, no warning has been given, no escape even to the ship's boats allowed to those on board. What this government foresaw must happen, has happened. Tragedy has followed tragedy on the seas in such fashion, with such attendant circumstances, as to make it grossly evident that warfare of such a sort, if warfare it be, cannot be carried on without the most palpable violation of the dictates, alike, of right and of humanity. Whatever the disposition and intention of the Imperial German Government, it has manifestly proved impossible for it to keep such methods of attack upon the commerce of its enemies within the bounds set by either the reason or the part of mankind.

"In February of the present year the Imperial German Government informed this government and the other neutral governments of the world that it had reason to believe that the government of Great Britain had armed all merchant vessels of British ownership and had given them secret orders to attack any submarine of the enemy they might encounter upon the seas, and that the Imperial German Government felt justified in the circumstances in treating all armed merchantmen of belligerent ownership as auxiliary vessels of war, which it would have the right to destroy without warning. The law of nations have long recognized the right of merchantmen to carry arms for the protection and to use them, to repel attack, though to use them in such circumstances, at their own risk; but the Imperial German Government claimed the right to set these understandings aside in circumstances which it deemed extraordinary. Even the terms in which it announced its purpose still further to relax the restraints it had previously professed its willingness and desire to put upon the operations of its submarines carried the plain implication that at least vessels which were not armed would still be exempt from destruction without warning and that personal safety would be accorded their passengers and crews; but even that limitation, if it was ever practicable to observe it, has in fact constituted no check at all upon the destruction of ships of every sort.

"Again and again the Imperial German Government has given this government its solemn assurances that at least passenger ships would not be thus dealt with and yet it has again and again permitted its under-sea commanders to disregard those assurances with entire impunity.

"Great liners, like the Lusitania and the Arabia, and many smaller boats like the Sussex, have been attacked without a moment's warning, sometimes before they had even become aware that they were in the presence of an armed vessel of the enemy, and the lives of non-combatants, passengers and crews have been sacrificed recklessly, in a manner which the government of the United States can not but regard as wanton and without the slightest color of justification. No limit of any kind has been set to the indiscriminate destruction of merchantmen of all kinds and nationalities within the waters constantly extending in area, where these operations have been carried on and the list of Americans, who have lost their lives on ships thus attacked and destroyed, has grown month by month until the numbers toll has mounted into the hundreds.

"One of the latest and most shocking instances of this method of warfare was that of the destruction of the French cross channel steamer Sussex. It must stand, as the sinking of the steamer Lusitania did, and so singularly tragical and unjustifiable, as to constitute a truly terrible example of the inhumanity of submarine warfare as the commanders of German vessels have for the past twelve months been conducting it. If this instance stood alone, some explanation, some disavowal by the German government, some evidence of criminal misdeed or willful disobedience on the part of the commander of the vessel that fired the torpedo might be sought or entertained; but unhappily it does not stand alone. Recent events make the conclusion inevitable that it is only one instance, even though it be one of the most extreme and distressing instances of the spirit and method of warfare which the Imperial German Government has mistakenly adopted and which, from the first, exposed that government to the reproach of trusting all neutral rights aside in pursuit of its immediate objects.

"The government of the United States has been very patient. In every stage of this distressing experience of tragedy after tragedy in which its own citizens were involved, it has sought to be restrained from any extreme course of action or of protest by a thoughtful consideration of the extraordinary circumstances of unprecedented war and actuated in all that it said or did by the sentiments of genuine friendship which the people of the United States have always entertained and continue to entertain towards the German nation. It has, of course, accepted the successive explanations and assurances of the Imperial German Government as given in entire sincerity and good faith and has hoped, even against hope, that it would prove to be possible for the German government so to order and control the acts of its naval commanders as to square its policy with the principles of humanity as embodied in the law of nations. It has been willing to wait until the significance of the case be absolutely unmistakable and susceptible of interpretation.

"That point has now been reached. The facts are susceptible of but one interpretation. The Imperial Government has been unable to put any restraints upon its warfare against either freight or passenger ships. It has, therefore, become painfully evident that the position which this government took at the very outset is inevitable, namely, that the use of submarines for the destruction of an enemy's commerce is of necessity, because of the very character of the vessels employed and the very methods of attack which their employment of course involves incompatible with the principles of humanity, the long established and incontrovertible principles of neutrals and the sacred immunities of non-combatants.

"I have deemed it my duty, therefore, to say to the Imperial German Government that if it is still its purpose to prosecute relentless and indiscriminate warfare against vessels of commerce by the use of submarines, notwithstanding the new demonstrated impossibility of continuing that warfare in accordance with what the government of the United States must consider the sacred and indisputable rules of international law and the universally recognized dictates of humanity, the government of the United States is at last forced to the conclusion that there is but one course it can pursue; and that unless the Imperial German Government should now immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of warfare against passenger and freight carrying vessels, this government can have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations with the German Empire.

"The decision I have reviewed with the deepest regret. The possibility of the action contemplated I am sure all Americans will look forward to with unfeigned reluctance. But we cannot forget that we are in some sort and by the force of the circumstances, the responsible spokesmen of the rights of humanity, and that we cannot remain silent while those rights seem in process of being swept utterly away in the maelstrom of this terrible war. We owe it to a due regard for our own rights as a nation, to our sense of duty as a representative of the rights of mankind the world over, and to a just conception of the rights of mankind to take this stand now with the utmost solemnity and firmness.

"I have taken it and taken it in the confidence that it will

meet with your approval and support. All sober-minded men must unite in hoping that the Imperial German Government which has in other circumstances stood as the champion of all that we are contending for in the interest of humanity, may recognize the justice of our demands and meet them in the spirit in which they are made."

# GOVERNMENT WILL NOT SURRENDER THE PRISONER OR PAPERS

New York, April 19.—The papers seized by federal officials yesterday in the office of Wolfe Von Igel, former secretary of Captain Franz Von Papen, recalled German military attaché, will not be restored, neither will the prosecution of Von Igel for his alleged participation in the Welland canal plot be dropped, Assistant United States Attorney Roged B. Wood said today.

The German embassy in Washington had demanded Von Igel's release and the return of documents seized in his office.

Mr. Wood announced he had examined the papers over night, that some referred to the alleged conspiracy to destroy the Canadian waterway, and that there was no evidence that they were ambassadorial papers.

"If the papers are to be returned to the German ambassador," said Mr. Wood, "he must swear that they are part of the archives of the German embassy."

The papers, he added, furnished additional evidence against the five men under indictment in the case. He intimated, that in

event claim to them is made on the ground that they are embassy records, an admission by the embassy of responsibility for the matters they disclosed, could only be implied. Supplementing his assistant's statement, District Attorney Marshall said that in addition to the papers seized bearing upon the Welland canal plot, there was also documentary evidence taken "of extraordinary importance," disclosing other activities in the so-called German propaganda in this country. What their nature was he declined to divulge, referring inquiries to Secretary Lansing. Mr. Marshall said Counselor of State Polk had called him up from Washington today and informed him that the question at issue was whether Von Igel was a member of the German embassy staff at the time of the alleged crime. To this, Mr. Marshall said he replied that investigation disclosed that the man did not become a member of the staff until December, 1915, more than a year after the alleged Welland canal plot was hatched.

The district attorney intimated further that there was some question whether Von Igel was really a member of the staff.

# MILLION MEN WAR STRENGTH HURRIED THROUGH THE SENATE

Washington, April 19.—The army reorganization bill, passed by the senate last night, went to the house today, where a conference probably will be asked for on the measure.

The bill is a substitute for the Hay bill passed by the house and as finally proposed, passed without a record vote. It would produce regular army and reserve forces in the United States aggregating a million men.

In the closing hours of debate the senate made provisions for a regular standing army with a peace strength of 200,000 men, as compared with 140,000 in the Hay bill which passed increases in the army were reduced to the minimum after a close fight, the plan for a federal volunteer army reserve force calculated to aggregate 260,000 men and federalized the National Guard forces of the states at an estimated strength of 286,000 men.

In addition to this combined regular and reserve force of 700,000 men an amendment was passed to create a school and college youth reserve corps in time of war or threatened war, which would reach a force of trained young men schooled by officers of the regular army, the estimated strength of which is estimated anywhere from 250,000 to 300,000.

The bill was hurried through the senate amid exciting scenes after a joint session of the houses had been called for today to hear an address by President Wilson on grave international issues.

Attempts to reduce the projected 200,000 men in the army were rejected in a close vote. The bill differs radically from the house measure. On that account it was regarded as practically certain that a conference would be called and that work of perfecting the army measure would begin promptly.

# SCOTT GOES TO BORDER

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beyond his formal statement. It was assured, however, that his report after conference with General Funston will go far toward determining the course to be pursued in Mexico.

It is known that General Funston has been urging the department that he be permitted to shift his headquarters and the border base in order to shorten his line of communications.

The department has not thus far approved the suggestion although the request was before the cabinet yesterday.

General Funston's report on this subject has not been given out here and Secretary Baker has

### VILLA STILL ALIVE

Chihuahua City, Mexico, April 19.—General Gutierrez, military governor of Chihuahua, authoritatively stated today that the report of Villa's death is only a rumor. The authorities are aiding in the shipment of supplies to U. S. troops.

# CONGRESSMAN KEARNS TO ADDRESS G. O. P. CLUB

Hon. Charles Kearns, congressman from the Sixth district, will discuss the vital problems confronting the United States government Tuesday evening at the "Smoker" of the Scioto County Republican Club. D. Willard Gustin received a telegram from Congressman Kearns, Wednesday stating that he would arrive in

Portsmouth next Tuesday and would attend the meeting of the club.

Besides a splendid programme, the club will receive the election returns by wire and will have several surprises to release on the evening of the meeting.

The Tuesday evening meeting will be one of the best held by the

club since it was organized several weeks ago.

Friday evening, April 21, the club will hold a special meeting to prepare plans for the primaries which will be held Tuesday, April 25. Every Republican in the city and the county is urged to attend. There will be no solicitations of funds made at these meetings.

The temporary officers expect every Republican who has membership books to return them at the Friday meeting.

## Seven Candidates

Members of the Painters' and Paperhangers' Union met Tuesday evening in weekly session. Several candidates will be balloted upon at the next meeting.

## Drivers, Get "Hep"

Police Chief Henry Clark says motorists seem to have a misunderstanding relative to the parking of automobiles. He said machines are supposed to be backed into the spaces allotted for that purpose and not to be run into them lengthwise.

## ALSPAUGH

For a good selection of Furniture, adv 10tf

# Did Not Understand Traffic Ordinance

Edgar F. Draper appeared before Mayor Kaps Wednesday morning, following a complaint Traffic Officer William Osborn had made that he almost ran over him with his automobile Tuesday afternoon.

Osborn claimed he had tried to hold Mr. Draper to the rule of driving up the south side of the government square esplanade as he came down Chillicothe street, but that Mr. Draper disregarded him and turned up the north side,

forcing him to jump aside in order to keep from being struck by the car.

The mayor told Mr. Draper that the only way the traffic rules could be enforced was by backing up the traffic officers. Mr. Draper assured him that he was a careful driver, that if he had done anything wrong he was unaware of it and gave his stamp of approval to the traffic ordinance, which he said was a good thing for the community.

## "THE FAREWELL" IS SUBJECT TONIGHT

This evening the last of a series of sermons on "Gethsemane" will be delivered at the German Evangelical church by the pastor, Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer. Tonight's subject is "The Farewell."

On Friday afternoon, April 21st, at three o'clock, Rev. Lindenmeyer will hold a special German service. The subject of the sermon will be "The Death."

## LOVERS GIVEN A SCORING

Police Clerk Harry Johnson read the "riot act" to a middle-aged man and a young woman he caught love-making in the alley at the rear of his 1111 Top home, Tuesday night. The girl proved to be a resident of the vicinity. The man was threatened with arrest adv 10tf if he was ever caught there again.

# Congregation Builds Church

Active work has been started on the erection of a Pentecostal church at Sixth and Broadway streets. Excavation for the foundation was completed Wednesday and the concrete foundation was poured. The church will be built of concrete blocks. The members of the congregation have joined hands and are doing the construction work. A deed for the lot and the concrete foundation was received by the congregation Wednesday from Constable William Wolfe. The congregation expects to be in their new house within a month. Rev. Arthur Cuddill is soliciting funds for the new church and on Tuesday received over \$50.

## ENTERS KORN KARNIVAL CONTEST

R. E. Thomas, secretary of the Business Men's Association, received the application of John R. Foster, Carey's Run, Wednesday, for entrance in the Korn Karnival contest which will be held this fall. The contest now has two candidates and from reports received throughout the county, there will be several more join.

## PREPARE TO RECEIVE EUCHARIST

At All Saints church tonight at 7.30 p. m. the rector will conduct a service of Meditation and Preparation for the members of the parish who will receive the Holy Communion on Maundy Thursday, this evening's service.

## VISITS HISTORICAL SPOTS

L. C. Peel is in receipt of a letter from his son, Ralph Peel, dated Woodstock, Va., telling of the pleasure he derived in stirring around in the historical Blue Ridge mountain regions. Since leaving Washington, D. C., Ralph, who is in charge of an advertising crew for Proctor & Gamble, of Cincinnati, has been making most of the Virginia towns that were the scenes of battles during the Civil war. The other day he visited an old fort where the battle of Fisher's Hill was fought.

# RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., April 19, 1916.  
(75th Meridian Time.)

| Station       | Time | Temp   | Wind | Clouds |
|---------------|------|--------|------|--------|
| Franklin      | 15   | 7.1 F  | -1.1 |        |
| Greensboro    | 18   | 8.5 F  | -0.1 |        |
| Pittsburgh    | 22   | 8.8 F  | 1.1  |        |
| Dan No. 12    | 36   | 14.0 F | -1.8 |        |
| Zanesville    | 25   | 11.2 F | -0.3 |        |
| Parkersburg   | 36   | 17.4 F | -1.3 |        |
| Charleston    | 30   | 5.8 F  | -0.3 |        |
| Pt Pleasant   | 39   | 21.4 F | -1.1 |        |
| Huntington    | 50   | 22.9 F | -0.9 |        |
| Cattlettsburg | 50   | 25.1 F | -1.1 |        |
| Portsmouth    | 50   | 25.7 F | -1.6 |        |
| Cincinnati    | 50   | 25.2 F | -0.2 |        |

## FORECAST

Unsettled over upper Ohio valley tonight and Thursday with probably showers in northern portion. River at Portsmouth will be about stationary tonight and fall slowly Thursday.

The Ohio river was 25.7 ft. and rising here Wednesday morning. Thursday's packet departures: Str. Greenwood down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m., Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m., Str. Courier up for Pomeroy at 2 p. m., Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

By BUD FISHER

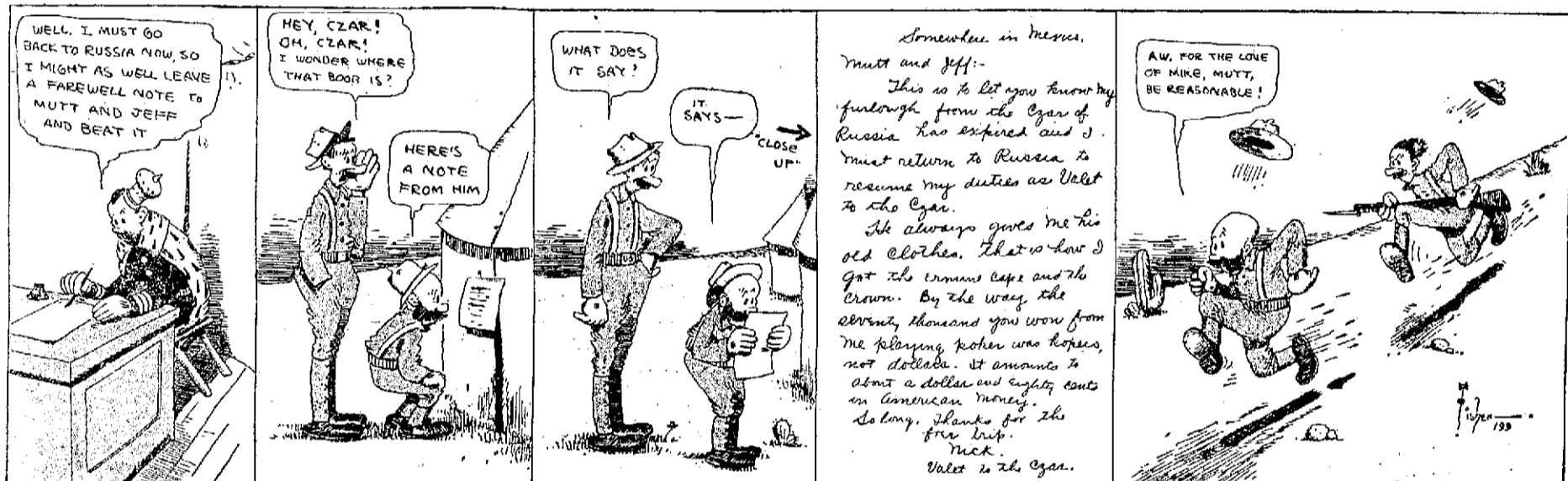
## THEATRICAL

The Palace Players will offer for the last time tonight, their big production of "The Two Orphans". This is by far the very biggest production ever seen at the Sun by any stock company. The costuming of the play is in detail and many beautiful gowns are worn in the performance. After the play tonight the company will hold their weekly butcher shop and large quantities of first class meats will be given to the audience. These meats are guaranteed to be strictly first class in every respect. For the balance of this week the company will present a dramatization of the well known and widely read novel, "Thorns and Orange Blossoms", by Bertha M. Clay. This will be a welcome announcement to all lovers of good books and this play follows the story of the book closely. A special souvenir matinee will be given Saturday and all school children attending will receive a handsome present.

# MUTT AND JEFF

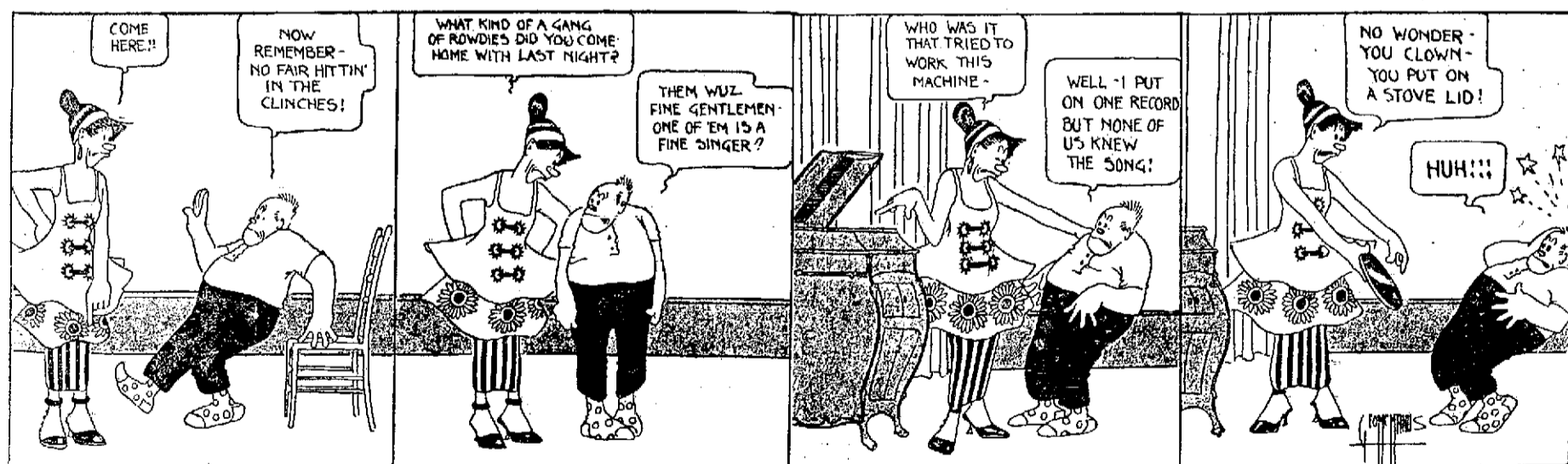
OH MY NO! IT WASN'T REALLY THE CZAR, SIMPLY HIS VALET

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# BRINGING UP FATHER

By GEORGE McMANUS



# SCOOP

THE CUB REPORTER

Some Sense to This Easter Bonnet

By "HOP"



## THOMAS McGARTY

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All Kinds of Repair Work

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS. Sealed proposals will be received at the residence of F. C. Fisher, being the office of the clerk and treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Scioto County, Ohio, Wheelersburg, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1916, for the purchase of bonds of said School District, in the aggregate sum of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000.00), dated May 1, 1916; said bonds being consecutively numbered one (1) to seventy (70), both inclusive, (issue of 1910), and in the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) each, bearing interest at the rate of four and one-half percent (4½) per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of November and May of each year, with interest coupons attached to said bonds, said bonds to mature in the year 1926, both inclusive, thus making four (4) of said bonds due in each of the years 1920 to 1924, both inclusive, and two (2) of said bonds the first day of May, 1925.

Said bonds are issued by the virtue of the authority of Sections 7625, 7626 and 7627 of the General Code of Ohio, and an affirmative vote of the electors of said School District and under and in accordance with a resolution of said Board of Education adopted on the first day of March, 1916, and for the purpose of purchasing a site and erecting a new school building thereon.

Said bonds shall be sold to the highest and best bidder and for not less than par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Conditional bids will not be considered. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for, the gross amount of the bid and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids for the aggregate amount must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank in Ohio for One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1750.00) and all bids for a part of the bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to five per cent (5%) of the aggregate par value of the bonds bid for. Said checks must be made payable to the clerk and treasurer of the said School District upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for the bonds away from him upon delivery thereof. Said check or checks to be retained and become the property of said School District in the event the bid is not accepted, otherwise it will be returned to the bidder.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Communications may be addressed to the undersigned:

J. F. SHEILA,  
Clerk and Treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Wheelersburg, Ohio.

Apr. 19-16 Weds.

Blair & Kimble, Attorneys.

164 West Main.

NOTICE.

Lewis Cocco, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 8th day of March, 1916, his wife, Eliza Cocco, filed her petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 1417, praying that she be divorced from him, and that she have the care and custody of her minor child, Frank Cocco, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty. Said cause was set for hearing on or after the 27th day of April, 1916.

ELIZA COCCA,  
Plaintiff.





# SWELL BOOTS and OXFORDS

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## SPECIAL MEETINGS

Rev. Hopper preached a short but forceful sermon from the subject, "The Wedding Feast; You are Invited" last night. The subject of the services tonight and Thursday night are: "How Meet the Crises of Life" and "Making Ready the Guest Chamber."

The text of last night's message was Matt 22:9, "Go ye therefore into the highways and as many as ye shall find, bid to the marriage feast."

"Jesus went down to Jerusalem and there when questioned as to His authority by the Pharisees, He spoke unto them three parables. The text is found in the third. This parable is only a picture of the kingdom of heaven here on earth."

"I believe that the first messengers of the gospel invitation sent out were the prophets, including John, the Baptist. They were the first to give the invitation to the Jews as well as all other people. When Jesus came and fulfilled the prophecies minutely they rejected Him. After the resurrection of our Lord, after the ascension on high, and after the coming of the Holy Spirit, the apostles were sent out as the second messengers. They preached at first only to the Jews, but this invitation was also rejected. Some went to their merchandise, some to their farms and some went to persecute. After the Jews had rejected the invitation the second time the invitation was sent out to the Gentiles and has been extended to all nations ever since. If the Jews did not accept and if we are extended the invitation the wedding feast must be now, at the present time when we can have a glorious privilege of sitting down with Jesus to a soul filling spiritual banquet. Jesus said, 'Behold I stand at the door and knock, and if any man openeth it, I shall enter in and sup with him and he with me.' Isn't that feasting? Whom do you think has the best time on earth, the Christian or the man without Christ? I am glad we can enjoy these blessings and privileges in the present life."

"It is not hard to get the people out to a banquet here on earth, but there isn't any banquet in this old world that can equal the feast that God has prepared for every one of us."

"The parable says that the king entered the guest room and found one who was without a wedding garment. The king asked him why he was unprepared and the man who was not attired in the wedding garment stood before him speechless. God knows how many of the people in the church are without a wedding garment and who will stand speechless before him on the Judgment Day when they are asked why they are unprepared."

Fourth St. M. E. Lenten Services

There was a substantial increase in the attendance at the

Fourth St. M. E. Lenten services last night. The singing was hearty and the prayers fervent. The pastor, Rev. Albert L. Marting, spoke on the subject "On the Witness Stand, Conflicting Testimony." It was the story of Peter's denial in the light of Christ's testimony. The pastor put all present face to face with heart-searching questions. In a word the message was this: There are many disciples of the Christ deny their Lord in word and life today, and it is time that some were weeping tears of true repentance.

This evening at 7:15 Rev. Marting will speak on "The Stripes That Heal." Thursday evening there will be the celebration of the Lord's supper. It is hoped that all members of the church will take part in this service. A report of the members of communicants will be made to the resident bishop, Wm. F. Anderson.

**Passion Week Services at Trinity**

A marked increase in the attendance was noticeable at Trinity church on Tuesday evening. Considerable interest is manifest in the passion week services. The subject for Wednesday evening will be: "A Day of Retirement." The group who will be responsible for the attendance on Wednesday evening are the G's to L's inclusive. Albert Herms is captain of the group. Let every member of Trinity church whose name comes within this portion of the alphabet not only come himself, but also consider himself appointed as a committee of one to boost the attendance on Wednesday evening. The group responsible for Thursday evening will be M to P inclusive with John McMillan as captain. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

**First Christian Church**

Additions to date:

Sunday ..... 48  
Monday ..... 5  
Tuesday ..... 4

Total ..... 57

Subject tonight, "The Remedy." Selection ..... Male Quartette

Time ..... 7:30

Painting sin in all its hideousness, claiming it is contagious, malignant, fatal and deceptive. Rev. Charles R. Oakley was given the closest attention in his sermon on "The Disease," at the First Christian church, Tuesday evening. The splendid crowd was an inspiration for the pastor and he was at his best. That his sermon had the desired effect, was shown by the response of four persons when the invitation was extended. This brings the total additions to 57, with the meeting only three days old. Those who feared the result of the revival have now joined hands and hearts with the optimists, and now, everybody is hopeful that the 100 mark will soon be

passed and left in the rear. The entire congregation was in proper tune to the services. The singing was inspiring, the sermon uplifting and the meeting will go down as one of the best of the week.

Proceeding the sermon, several special numbers were rendered. The ladies sextette, consisting of Miss Marjorie Gerlach, Miss Helen Warner, Mrs. C. M. Howland, Miss Bess True, Miss Bess Goodman and Mrs. Charles Brockman, sang very beautifully that old favorite, "One Sweetly Solenn Thought." Mrs. Brockman rendered a very pretty solo, while the mixed chorus led the congregational singing with much spirit.

Tonight Rev. Oakley will speak on the subject "The Remedy," following up his sermon last night on "The Disease." Thursday evening his subject will be "Lost Power Restored." Christy Howland announced last night that the choir would render their favorite song, "Nearer My God to Thee" at tonight's services. All in all the revival is moving along at a most pleasing pace. There have been no drawbacks to date and none are expected. Rev. Oakley seems to have his forces at his every command, and orders are being obeyed with alacrity. All are willing to work and many willing to do more than they are doing. Everything is pitched to the proper note—no discords are apparent. The members feel they can go at top speed for the revival will last but eight days, closing on Easter Sunday.

The crowd last night was fully 25 per cent larger than on Monday evening, and this is a most splendid indication. Before the meetings come to a close it will be necessary to utilize every foot of floor space—at least that is the way many members feel over the situation.

In his sermon last night, Rev. Oakley said in part: "Jesus Christ spoke of people who have sinned as being sick. That of course was only a figure of speech. Jesus intended to convey the idea that what disease is to the body, sin is to the soul. The trouble with men and women is not that they do not have enough money or opportunity, but that they have sin in their mortal bodies. Sin is an epidemic—we're all afflicted. Sin may manifest itself in various ways—it may be in lying, stealing, murder—but it is sin."

"Sin is contagious—you can catch it—you can breathe it in—you can break out with it—you can associate with sinful people so you can become contaminated. 'Be not deceived, evil communications, corrupt good morals.' 'Fathers should be careful as to the kind of literature their children read. We have hell holes in the community that should be shunned like smallpox, and yet, those hell holes are not quarantined. We license places that are a thousand times worse than pest houses. Such places breathe disrespect for motherhood, womanhood and God. The associations in a saloon should condemn those places. Yes, the dance hall breathes the same disrespect for womanhood as the saloon. Many an inmate in a brothel can date her fall to the dance hall. Women, men don't dance with you to keep step to the music, remember that."

"Sin is fatal so far as human help and philosophy are concerned. The soul that sinneth shall surely die, and the wages of sin is death." Some people try to minimize their sin.

"Sin is very deceptive—just like some of the ills of life. Sin is like leprosy—like a spot it will grow and spread and eventually result in death to the victim. The transgression of the law is sin, says the Bible. If you break the law of God you are a law-breaker. All unrighteousness is sin. There are sins of commission and sins of omission. To him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not, to him it is sin, says the Bible. Whatsoever is not of faith is sin. If you go through any process and have not faith, you are sinning. I believe in the baptism of penitent believers, because that is what the Bible teaches. Were I to baptize an infant, that would be sin on my part, because I have no faith in that kind of a belief. Only one, the Great Physician, can cure you

## HE FORGETS BUT SHE REMEMBERS

Wife Recalls Wonderful Remedy When This Man Had Faded

"My wife and I had been discussing Tanlac for a long time," said Amos Hepzler, of 29 Schaefer street, Dayton, O.

"We were both attracted by the wonderful endorsements it had received. I had suffered from indigestion, constant dull headache, and had circulation for nearly a year. Every morning I awoke with a coated tongue and bad taste in my mouth. I tired under small exertion, I was bilious and suffered from a general lassitude. In short, I was 'down and out.'"

"I believe Tanlac would be good in your case," said my wife at supper one evening. I didn't know whether it would or not, but I decided to try it. However, I forgot. But not so my wife. The next night when I sat down to supper my wife had put a bottle of Tanlac at my plate.

"I started taking it right then. Now Tanlac is at my plate for every meal. I have taken two bottles and it has done wonders for me. My appetite is better than in years. The assimilation of my food is good. I have no more of the old fierce headaches that even strong headache powders would not stop. I do not tire even with a hard day's work. My entire system had been toned up and I know it."

"I am recommending Tanlac because it does the work."

Mr. Hepzler is an attaché of the great Maxwell Motor Company plant, where scores of his fellow workers have noted the improvement in his condition.

Tanlac now is being specially introduced in Portsmouth at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Tanlac may be obtained in the following nearby towns: New Boston, E. H. Coburn; Scioto, Sciotoville Pharmacy; Bloomington, H. J. Klein; Scioto, Stockham & Payne; McDermott, Ord Thompson; Lucasville, Dr. J. H. Cox; Stockdale, O. E. Emory & Co.; Jasper, J. W. Dewey; Pike, R. B. Willson; Oak Hill, Jenkins Pharmacy; Otway, J. T. Walsh; Young, G. H. Perry; Peables, W. A. Gall; Buena Vista, Louis Dorn; West Union, W. D. Sutterfield; Fullerton, Ky., S. M. Roberson; Rarden, Taylor & Taylor—Adv.

of sin—he can cleanse you from all unrighteousness and plant your feet upon the rugged rocks of truth."

## TO CONSIDER WAGE SCALE

At a short routine session of the Blacksmiths' Union Tuesday night, it was decided to hold a special called meeting Friday evening with members of the Journeymen Shoemakers' Union. A wage scale will be decided upon at this special session.

## MRS. COOPER ASKS DIVORCE

Anna Cooper filed divorce proceedings against Alka Cooper Wednesday in the court of common pleas through her attorney, Harry Ball. The petition avers that the couple were married March 2, 1907. The following children were born to them: Henrietta, 7 years; and Paul and Pauline, twins, 3 years. Willful absence for more than three years is the grounds cited for the action. Reasonable alimony and custody of the children is asked.

Her husband, Alka Cooper, was recently given an indeterminate term in the Ohio penitentiary by Judge Thomas on a charge of non-support.

## MONEY TO LOAN

On Portsmouth, New Boston and Sciotoville real estate. The Portsmouth German Building and Loan Association Co., Edgar P. Draper, Secretary, Masonic Temple.

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## SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

E. E. Hacquard, mayor, Russell Ketter, clerk, Charles Willis, treasurer and Jacob Ellsesser, Isaiah Palmer, Kennard Nagel, Loren Yost, Theo. Q. Shump and S. F. Johnson, council members, the newly elected officials of Sciotoville met Tuesday evening in the office of the Leet Lumber company and listened to an hour's talk made by Solicitor Stanley McCall of New Boston. He explained the elementary laws governing village affairs and outlined plans for the organization of this new council. A meeting will be held Friday evening when Mr. McCall will give another talk and council will organize.

Mrs. B. J. Fox is spending a few days with her parents in Louisa, Ky. Wm. McKinney will leave in a few days for Lexington and Louisville where he will attend the races, and from there he will go to Canada.

Prayer meeting at the Methodist church every Wednesday evening, all invited. Rev. George Creamer will devote the last half hour to the Sunday school lesson for the following Sunday.

The children of the Methodist church are practicing for an Easter program which will be given Sunday morning. Mrs. Martha Price, Mrs. Horace Belmont and Miss Ruth Belmont are training them.

The Sciotoville Orchestra practiced for the Easter services at the home of Hurae Belmont Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Aaron Grady and daughter Clara of Kenova are visiting relatives here.

Miss Carol Stout has returned home after visiting friends in Huntington.

Mrs. Adam Ault was visiting relatives in Portsmouth Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sennett have moved from Portsmouth to Mrs. Wm. Bennett's property in Parney addition.

Wesley Penner has resigned his position as driver for H. D. Bahner and has gone into the tinning business with Ed Reinhardt.

Mrs. Cary Wahlen was shopping in Portsmouth Tuesday.

J. P. Haywood of Lyra, bought the C. W. Hill property on Broadway street and will locate here shortly.

Miss Lucinda Ruth of South Webster is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lemon.

Mrs. Jennie Dever is building a two story frame house on her vacant lot on Main street.

Mrs. Geo. Oakes was shopping in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Will Bell of Wheelersburg was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Orville Price while at work at the steel plant, had his right limb injured when some dynamite exploded near him.

Miss Elizabeth Hitchcock has returned home after spending several weeks with friends at Middleport.

Alfred Fewkes has his ice plant in operation and is making between five and six tons daily. He expects to stock five or six hundred tons of ice for the warm weather. He will supply Wheelersburg, South Webster and Harrisonville. Earl Hood is operating the plant during the day, Arthur Hill at night and Sam Kertz drives the ice wagon.

Frank Coburn has left for Cincinnati, after spending several days with friends and relatives in Sciotoville and Harrisonville.

Mrs. J. K. Hastings is visiting home folks at Sargents, Ohio.

Pauline Watkins, daughter of Mrs. Nelson Watkins, is suffering with stomach trouble.

Millard Bahner, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bahner, is ill with the grip.

T. W. Sheridan of the Sheridan Kirk company, who has the contract for the paving between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg, was here on business Tuesday.

Dr. Wm. Ray of Portsmouth, has given a contract to Noah Bender to build three houses in Farney addition.

Stanley McCall, solicitor of Portsmouth, was here Tuesday evening on business.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will give their annual Easter sale and supper Thursday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. Home made articles will be on sale.

Mrs. A. W. Baker of Wheelersburg, was a visitor in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Norman Adams, of Wheelersburg, was in Ironton Tuesday.

James Haskins of Wheelersburg, bought a fine five passenger Maxwell from R. S. Prichard.

## PLANS ARE APPROVED

The board of control at a special meeting Tuesday evening, approved plans and specifications for the proposed mausoleum in Greenlawn cemetery.

The board instructed the city solicitor with the aid of the city engineer, to prepare a deed. The sale price of the site, which is located in Appel circle, is \$2,500.

**Leaves Hospital**

Frank Dressler, a cigarmaker, who while a lodger at the city prison a few weeks ago, rolled from the top of a cell, striking the concrete floor with his head and fracturing his skull, was discharged from the Hempstead hospital Wednesday.

**Fine Wall Map**

County Treasurer Maurice J. Caldwell received a handsome large wall map of the United States from Congressman Charles Kerns Wednesday.

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## Taken To Lancaster

Deputy Sheriff Rome Arthur, Albert Chapman and Elmer Bell to the Lancaster Reformatory Wednesday. The two boys were recently sentenced to indeterminate terms at the institution by Judge Thomas C. Realty, juvenile court, on charges of incorrigibility. The authorities say that the boys have caused them more trouble than all the others combined.

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pared and largely used than any other dressing. Put the mixture into a pint fruit jar, screw the lid on and shake thoroughly.

Lucasville, O.—Dear Miss Wise—As I am a reader of your interesting column, I am coming to you for advice. What will take mud spots out of a blue serge jacket suit? I have tried gasoline and a cleaning cream, but did not succeed. When does the Island Queen and Homer Smith boat excursion come to Portsmouth? As I have brown hair, blue eyes and dark complexion, what color dresses would be suitable for me? Is blueing water good to clean serge suits? Thanking you very kindly.

LOUISE.

Mud spots can be washed out of serge with soap and water. The Island Queen excursions will be held on Tuesday, April 24th, and Friday, April 25th.

French dressing is more easily prepared than any other dressing. Put the mixture into a pint fruit jar, screw the lid on and shake thoroughly.

Dear Miss Wise—What do you think of a mother who helps her daughters to get beaux, and when somebody calls up over the phone she tells like she is one of her daughters and makes dates over the phone with boys she, or they never saw, and sometimes walk up and down the street five or six times in front of some good-looking fellows and at last ask them into their house, and they talk, laugh and "hollo" around so you can hear them a square away? When should you say "Pardon me" and "I beg your pardon"? Are Mary Jane pumps going to be worn this summer? Thank you.

TWO CHUMS.

I wouldn't think much of this mother if what you say is true, but when two chums become jealous of their neighbors, because they happen to be more popular than they, or have more boy friends, they are liable to exaggerate their faults, and oftentimes tell things about them that are not true. Did you ever stop to think what an awful thing it is to blacken the character of anyone, especially young girls. Once taken away, it can never be restored. How would you like for someone to "start something" about you. They could do so in a jiffy, if they were mean enough to exaggerate or elaborate on some perfectly innocent act you had committed. If you want to do an act of real charity, go to the woman or her daughters and tell them if you were them you wouldn't do so and so, as there are people in the world who never can see their own faults, but always ready and willing to criticize others. If she

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young ladies are old enough to have callers, it is far better to entertain them at home with their mother than to meet them on the street corners. "Pardon me" is used much the same as "excuse me." I beg your pardon, is used when one doesn't understand, or wants something repeated; also as a sort of mild apology.

Dear Miss Wise—Are Norfolk suits going to be worn this summer? I have a perfectly good white serge suit I had last season, but of course I don't want to wear it if it is out of style. Will white slippers be worn Easter? The girls where I work gave me a post-card shaver on my birthday; is it proper for me to

answer them, or not? In giving an introduction, which name is mentioned first, the boy or girl's? M. S. White Norfolk suits will be good this summer. If the weather is warm Easter it would be all right to wear white slippers, providing you wear your white suit. I don't like to see white slippers with dark clothes. You need not return the card now. At some future date you may have an opportunity to send such girl a card. However, you can thank them either collectively or individually, and tell them how much you appreciated their little token of remembrance. A boy is always introduced to a girl.

Dear Miss Wise—How old is the state house in Columbus?  
INTERESTED.  
About 55 years old. They began to build it about 75 years ago, but it took 20 years to complete it, as prison labor was used.

Dear Miss Wise—What is the reason that Russia wanted possession of Galicia? WEST END READER.  
Presumably Russia wanted to add that Russian province to her territories and also to use as a strategic base from which to attack Austria and Hungary.

## SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Bigelow Ladies' Aid Society was held yesterday afternoon in the church.

Arrangements were made to give a recital as dedication of the handsome new organ, now being installed, about May eleventh, when Mrs. Thoburn Mills, of Columbus, organist at the Broad Street Methodist church, will give the recital. Mrs. Mills makes a specialty of concert work. Arrangements were also made to give a supper on the evening of May 25th. The new organ will be completed in about three weeks and the Ladies' Aid Society is very proud of the fact that, through their untiring work, they will entirely pay for their handsome organ.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook, on Sixth street, was the scene of a family party last evening in celebration of the fifty-eighth birthday anniversary of their father, Mr. W. E. Cook. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gills, Miss Nora Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook and little daughter, Viola, Mr. Hector Mercer, Mrs. Minnie Harney, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harney, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson. At the end of the evening's pleasures the guests were invited to the dining-room, where the table was beautifully decorated in yellow and white. The pretty birthday cake was adorned in yellow, and the favors were fluffy little chicks.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain, 12th

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Presbyterian church will hold the regular coffee social Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Skelton, on Ninth street, where colored eggs will be on sale for Easter.

Friends in Portsmouth have received handsome invitations to the marriage of Miss Edna Lucy Shant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Joseph Shant, of Ashland, Ky., to Mr. Forest Dabney Caldwell, on the evening of Monday, the eighth of May, at half-after eight o'clock, at the First Presbyterian church, Ashland, Ky. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, 300 Lexington avenue. Miss Shant is known among the young set in this city. Her sister, Miss Allen Shant, came down for the Haldeman dance during the holidays.

## Wise Toledo Mother Treats Her Children's Colds "Externally"

Mrs. Bertha Cook Finds the "Outside" Application, Vap-O-Rub, Better than Internal Dosing.

Intelligent mothers everywhere realize that children should be dosed as gently as possible. Still cough and cold troubles must not be neglected. Mrs. Bertha Cook, 326 Lee St., Toledo, Ohio, has solved this problem by use of the external treatment Vap-O-Rub. Last winter when this treatment was being introduced in Toledo for the first time, thought C. E. Boyd presented Mrs. Cook with a complimentary jar, requesting that she give it a thorough trial and report the results.

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Vap-O-Rub comes in salve form and when applied over the throat, and chest the body heat releases the ingredients in the form of vapors. In addition, it is absorbed through and stimulates the skin, driving the vapors into the system to relieve the congestion. It will be found superior to internal medicines for all forms of cold troubles, from head colds, asthma and croup, down to deep chest colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, or influenza pneumonia. Three sizes, 25c, 50c or \$1.00, at all druggists.

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## PLANS UNDER WAY TO ESTABLISH COUNTRY CLUB AT WHEELERSBURG

Unless plans already well under way miscarry, and there is small likelihood that they will, a magnificent country club will be established near Wheelersburg, negotiations having been on for several days for the leasing of 100 acres of ground in this vicinity.

With the closing of these leases plans of the promoters of the project will be made known. There is a movement on foot at present by the promoters of this proposition to swing a deal whereby the present Portsmouth Golf Club will be merged with the new company. It was stated today by an official of this company that there was no objection to the absorption plans of the new company by members of the old golf club and prospects for the establishment of a beautiful country club house near Wheelersburg, were never brighter than just now.

"We expect to put up a club house that will be second to none in Southern Ohio. It will be an ornate structure from the outside and will contain every modern convenience in the interior, a magnificent swimming pool to be one of its chief features," one of the enthusiastic promoters of the project stated Tuesday.

"The golf course will be given special attention and several tennis courts will be provided, in fact, every little detail that will make for a well rounded country club, is being incorporated in our plans."

It is known that sooner or later the Portsmouth Golf Club will be compelled to give up their present course in East Portsmouth, as the ground they are now occupying is being built around on will be eventually used for additional truckage purposes by the N. & W. With a full realization of this fact staring them in the face, members of the old club have taken kindly to the proposition to establish a country club at Wheelersburg and from present indications, the project will be carried to a state of completion.

The ground being negotiated for is located near the new line of the Ohio Valley Traction Company.

## NEW MOOSE OFFICERS INSTALLED LAST NIGHT

Annual installation of officers of the Loyal Order of Moose held Tuesday night with the usual impressive ceremony, attracted one of the biggest crowds of the year to Moose hall.

Delegate to convention—J. M. Krall. It was announced at the meeting that the Moose would have a street fair some time in August, the attractions to be furnished by the Meyerhoff Agency in New York. It was also announced that the Moose will be one of the best of the kind ever brought to the city.

The committee that will have charge of the show includes Elmer Rader, chairman, Harry Huddleson, Joseph Krall, Joseph Albrecht and Charles Click.

Senator W. D. Tremper was present at the meeting and was called on for a short talk and he responded in his usual happy vein. Several other short talks were given and the meeting was one of the most enjoyable the Moose have held in a long time.

Officers installed were as follows:

Past Dictator—J. M. Krall.

Dictator—J. M. Kennedy.

Vice-Dictator—W. J. Scott.

Prelate—H. M. Mackey.

Secretary—H. C. Huddleson.

Treasurer—Albert C. Daehler.

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## A GOOD BEGINNING

The annual spring proclamation concerning street traffic arrived Saturday, somewhat belated. It was accompanied by some parking and direction rules that are going to materially relieve confusion and congestion, if enforced. On both Saturday and Sunday traffic men were stationed on both the north and south sides of Gallia, at its junction with Chillicothe, directing vehicles in the observance of the new rule that all shall turn off from Chillicothe into Gallia on the south side and enter therefrom from the north. The patrolmen did their work well and decided improvement in the smoothness of the flow of traffic resulted.

It was to be noted, however, that Sunday, with no officers about there was the usual disregard of rules. In fact, from their frequent infractions, one would believe autoists were contemptuously bent on disregarding them. More than one car was kept steadily on the wrong side of the street and the speed fiends were "hitting it up" out Gallia in utter recklessness.

A few arrests and stiff fines, without any remittances, will cause the exceptions to the general observance of the rules to become considerably limited. For some drivers will never learn how fast they are going until the matter is officially determined in dollars.

## WAIT FOR THE TEST

Portsmouth, Virginia, will immediately enter upon a test of the vaunted superiority of the commission form of government for municipalities. On Tuesday she held an election, under the new charter, and the commissioners-elect are ready to be sworn in and enter upon their duties.

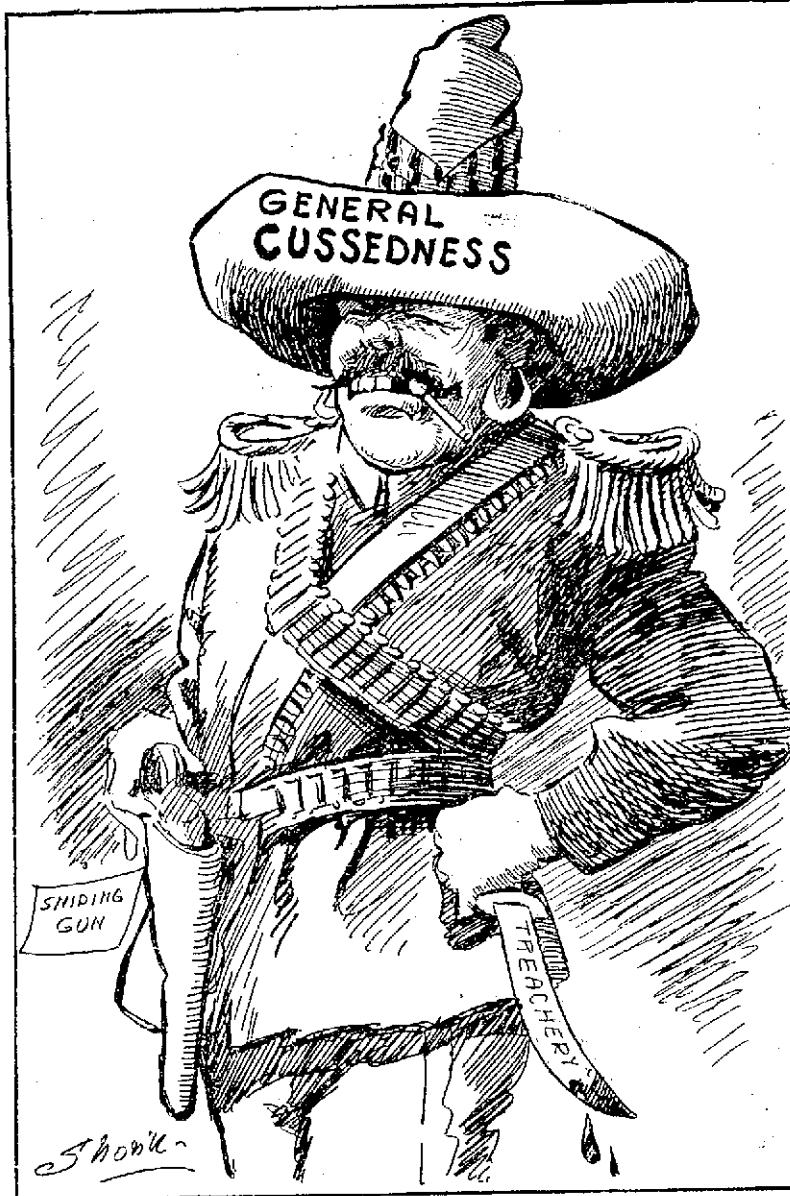
The one local paper, the Star, is in great glee over the experiment. It confidently decries that it is already a success because of the character of the men elected. But prophecy, or claim is not fulfillment. We've heard the same thing about other forms of government and administrations, truth to confess, we have occasionally made such predictions and found them miserable disappointments and failures. We tell you, and we reiterate it, that in popular rule the form has absolutely nothing to do with the efficiency of government. It is all in the men that direct the form. If the Virginia Portsmouth has had such an evil administration that was not because of the form of it, but because of the officials chosen to direct it. There isn't a reason in the world to believe that simply because public officials are given different names and regulations and responsibilities shifted to different titles there is going to be any better class of citizens seeking place and any more efficacious results ensuing. There are only four things required to make good government. These are intelligence, honesty, diligence and a sense of responsibility. Given these and them kept constantly in play any city will have a satisfactory rule. It is the thing the people have got not only to demand, but to take for themselves, before they can get the sort of government they pay for. They can never shift from the consequence of their own ignorance, indifference or partisanship as to candidates by going out and changing the form and not the substance.

So far as we are able to determine we seem to be about the only person of age, sound of limb and body and in full possession of our faculties, who is at all interested in the primaries to be held on April 25th. We talked to eleven men Tuesday, asking them if they were not going to vote and nine of the eleven wanted to know, when, why and where.

Norway, Sweden, Holland and Denmark have lost 203 ships since the war began. Neutrality isn't even its own reward.—New York Sun.

One of the sad things about recent historic occurrences in our beloved city is that Nate and Clink and Shep will have to hunt up other topics for discussion from the hustings this fall besides joy riding policemen and lost firemen.

## THE REAL LEADER IN MEXICO



## WHERE HER STRENGTH LIES

Meat is to be made an article of luxury in Germany, that is the quantity to be sold to any one person is to be limited in both frequency and amount, just as are already bread and butter. Consumption is to be regulated by distribution from a central office and according to regulations, restaurants will not be permitted to serve more than one piece of meat at the noon day meal and no side dishes will be allowed. All foods must be placed on one plate. There is no complaint about the new order, that is none openly. The people are accepting the regulation as one of the sacrifices they must make for the safety and honor of the Fatherland. And 'tis this willingness on their part that makes for the marvelous endurance with which Germany has been able to withstand the pressure her enemies are bearing against her from every side.

Because every state is presenting a favorite candidate to the G. O. P. national convention is not so much as the slightest reason for discounting the fact that the nominating will be done in the same old way. The fellows that run the machine never lose sight of who is running it, and there is no chance about the passengers it is going to carry any of the burdens. The more the masses don't know the more those on the inside do know.

The Portsmouth Play Grounds for children are ideally located and could be made a source of joy forever to the children of the town. It looks to us as though here is something worth while and that some of the energy devoted to less worthy causes might well be used in restoring and maintaining the Play Grounds. What say you?

From the way some papers are going after Josephus Daniels, publisher and secretary of the navy, one might suppose the esteemed Raleigh News and Observer is encroaching upon their circulation territory.

William Jennings Bryan canvassed the whole state of Nebraska for Brother Charlie for governor. Nothing wrong about that for no one should know the worth of his kin better than himself, and if he wouldn't support him, who would, we'd like to know?

Some papers certainly have a face on them, those, for instance, that are advocating more protection and paying the highest prices they ever paid for print paper.

Washington seems to have her doubts that Villa is as dead as he ought to be.

## AS TO COLOR DYES

Certain interests are arguing for the overthrow of the Wilson administration on the ground that protection, which would be given by its successful opponents would build up a colossal color dye industry in this country. That may be and it may not. The favor is rather with the negative. Dyes have been a necessity of trade about ever since man began to wear manufactured clothes. For years and years the advocates of protection were in full control of the whole government, and though the tariff wall was built mountain high, it would seem the dye industry did not take root and grow in America, Germany maintaining a monopoly in production. Therefore it would seem to follow that what is needed to create home manufacture is not protection but something else. Stress has driven us to search and there is reason to believe that once turning itself in that direction American ingenuity will solve the problem.

One in a position to know informs us that, in spite of our impression to the contrary, the girls are now wearing more petticoat to the square inch than for many years and we are thinking of putting the matter to the test by getting into a street brawl, being severely cut with a razor and seeing if any beautiful girl, who happens to be passing, will rush to our side, tear her petticoat into strips and make a tourniquet of 'em, thus stanching the flow of blood.—Ohio State Journal.

We have abundant proof of the pulling power of our editorial suggestions, though some times they are a little slow in getting results. Thus a year ago we suggested to Squire Byron that he pull down his awning as a relief to the aesthetic feelings of his neighbors on Court street. Yesterday the awning came down. We point with pride, etc.

Complaint has been made that Jess Willard gets more money than a minister. Still there is nothing to prevent a minister from going after the championship if he can qualify.—Bluefield Telegraph.

Columbus is going to have another afternoon paper, it is announced, the Columbus Saturday Monitor, which was started by a group of politicians having determined to issue an evening daily beginning June 12th. Well they will get a lot of experience and pay for it in proportion, is our guess.

A little touch of the glorious spring time is worth a whole cycle of rough, rude and boisterous winter.

Well, Uncle Sam, on that invitation to his himself away can do as is the habit of the host, put it off until the morrow.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, April 18—Introducing "Syrup Jack," Broadway's latest cut-up. He is the playful young man who squirts syrup on women's dresses in the subway. He ruined gowns worth \$500 during the past week and is still on the job, giving the police the merry ha-ha.

He carries a rubber ball in his pocket and when a particularly well-dressed woman comes near him, he squirts the syrup over her clothes and goes serenely on his way. It has been suggested that he might have been hired by the fashionable dressmakers to increase their business, but of course this is only a base and mean accusation without foundation.

Examination has failed to reveal whether it was chocolate or some other flower. Detective Morley said it might even be molasses. He will stick to the trail.

Last summer the subway had a cut-up who would jab women with hat-pins and make them scream with pain. He was caught one day by a muscular young woman, who manacled his face against the cement flooring of a station and then let him go.

Young Bert Hubbard, son of the late Elbert, has returned from the annual pilgrimage to the Temple of Health in Kansas City. It was a custom of the father's and the son will continue it.

There is a doctor in charge of the Temple of Health, an old mansion, and each year patients who have been cured there return for what they call a "health reunion."

Mr. Hubbard brings back a good yarn with him. The son of puritanical parents living near Kansas City had reached the age of 23 without seeing much of the world. He was about to be married and his father took him to Kansas City to see a little of the glitter of the city. He dined at the cafes, visited the theatres and other places that never had a part in his life.

When he returned he fell weeping in his mother's arms. She told him not to mind, that the world was not so bad. He had only seen the worst.

"I know," he sobbed, "but there is no Santa Claus."

Charles R. Barnes, the magazine writer, has shaken Broadway for good. About a year ago he went down to Atlantic City for the weekend and has been there ever since. He lives in the same house with Max Marcin, the playwright, and both dislike New York.

Barnes was in town for the first time in a year last week and only came because he was compelled to sail from here for Cuba. He used to live in Missouri and commented thusly the other afternoon before sailing:

"New York purchased \$100,000 worth of tickets to the Moran-Willard fight. Yet every time a novelist needs a sucker for a character he has him hail from Missouri."

An elderly gentleman from the country was at the head of a line of arrivals at the Waldorf the other morning. He spent such a long time at the register that the clerk became a trifle impatient.

"Just sign your name, please," he said. "The other guests, too, would like to register."

"See here, young man," exclaimed the old gentleman, "don't you try any of your 'sass' on me. I don't sign nothing I ain't read carefully. I learnt my lesson with one of them 'there lightning' rod slickers."

Wells Hawks, the famous press agent, who made Stickle Chase Park at Coney popular with the line "Everything New But the Ocean," is back on Broadway press agenting the Russian ballet. He lives in a small town in West Virginia and has been writing a novel there.

## Plant Is Needed

With emergencies constantly bobbing up city administration officials are beginning to feel the need of a city-owned general repair plant. Sentiment in favor of establishing such a plant, completely equipped with tools, machine parts, etc., is rapidly growing among them.

Highest standard materials used by Bröhmer, the Painter.

## Political Announcement

For Congress Subject to Democratic Primary

## A. G. Turnipseed

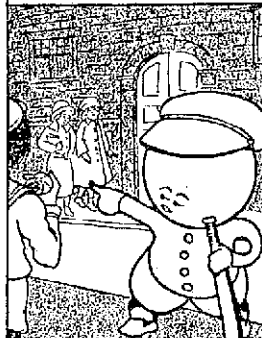
Practicing Attorney, West Union, Adams County.

I have never held office. Adams county has had only three congressmen in her history and had no candidate last year.

A. G. TURNIPSEED.

## G O O P S

By GLETT BURGESS



## Lysander Cook

Don't Point! For when you point, you look just like this Goop! Lysander Cook! He points at people everywhere; it's rude, but still he doesn't care. Do you like to be pointed at? Then do not point! Remember that!

## Don't Be A Goop!



Let's All Join in the Chorus. Don't stop my paper, printer. Don't strike my name off yet. You know the times are straggles. And dollars hard to get; But tug a little harder. Is what I mean to do. And scrape enough together—Enough for me and you.

I can't afford to drop it. And I find it doesn't pay To do without a paper. However others may: I hate to ask my neighbors To give me theirs on loan; They don't just say, but mean, "Why don't you have your own?"

You can't tell how we miss it. If it by any fate. Should happen not to reach us, Or come a little late: Then all is in a hubbub. And things go all awry: And, printer, if you're married, You'll know the reason why.

The children want the features. And wife is anxious, too. At first to glance it over. And then to read it through. And I read the editorials. And scan the local views. And read the correspondence. And every bit of news.

## She Deserves a Rest.

Tomorrow evening Miss Phyllis Bedells makes her final appearance at the London Empire, where she has danced without interruption for nine and one half years.—Bristol (Eng.) Times.

## Better Stand Back When You Bark, Jack

Jack Moncheef was struck by a cast-bound train. Saturday, barking his leg and arm.—Newtown Falls News.

## A Distressing Experience, Either Way!

Six hours later we were finally picked up by the Primrose and the Magnolia and arrived at Queens town, Ireland, many of us half-naked, others half-dressed.—Penny Star and Herald.

## That's A Vital Spot

Leo Krieger was hit by an automobile at Gallia and Chillicothe streets.—News Item.

## And the Mean Thing Probably Told Them

Notice to married men who attend boxing bouts:

Please notify your wives immediately after the show is over.

Thursday night the fair and hard working Plain Dealer telephone operator was besieged with calls from anxious wives regarding the whereabouts of wandering husbands and the hour at which the Grays armory show let out.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Yes, a Year Without a Haircut Is Striking

Beginning on Wednesday, May 17, East Palestine's barber shops will swing their doors on the shave-seeking multitude at 12 o'clock noon. The striking feature of this closing is that it will continue throughout the year and not just during the torrid season.—June, July and August, as heretofore.—East Palestine Leader.

## Well, Some Folks Do!

In our account of the Livingston-Hoff Wedding in last week's issue our reporter intended to state that "after a brief wedding trip the newly married couple would make their home at the 'Old Manse'"; but through a typographical error which escaped the proof reader, and which we regret exceedingly, "Old Manse" was made to read "Old Mans".—Weedsport (N. Y.) Sentinel.

## A Last Resort

"Can't you do anything at all for my hair?" "Nope," said the barber. "Hair is all gone." "But my dome shines like a newly starched collar. Can't you give it a sort of dull finish?"—Exchange.

## Cannibalism

Robert—What did you have for dinner? Thomas—Just our own folks. What did you? Robert—Oh, we had the minister.—Exchange.

## Was There Speechmaking?

J. W. Dunlap, editor of the Lodi Review, has had some experience in the last two weeks—elected president of the local board of trade and almost asphyxiated just afterward.—The Kickman (O.) Courier.

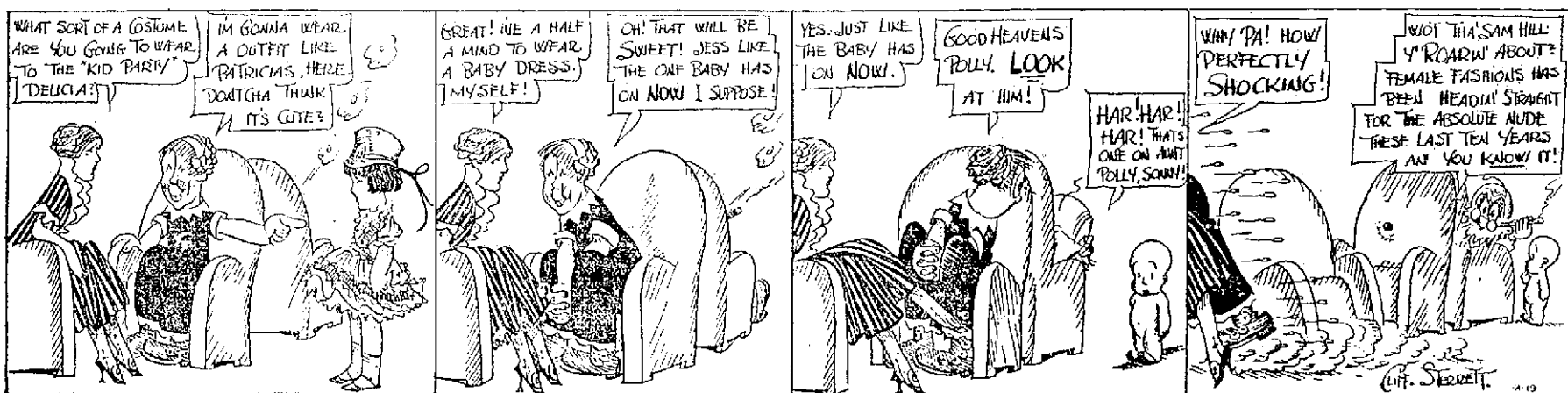
## Trying to Forget It

The West Parishville High School club met at Mrs. Sylvia Thayer last Saturday to remind her of her birthday. It was a complete surprise to her.—Potsdam Record.

## POLLY AND HER PALS

## The Baby Is Fashionable

## By CLIFF STERRETT



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## STOP SHIP ATTACKS OR BREAK FOLLOWS, U. S. WARNS BERLIN

### CONGRESS TO HOLD SPECIAL JOINT SESSION

PRACTICALLY AN ULTIMATUM IS NOTE SENT TO GERMANY; IMMEDIATE REPLY IS EXPECTED GERMANY DEMANDS U-BOAT PROBLEM WILL BE RELEASE OF ALLEGED CANAL CONSPIRATOR PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT BEFORE CONGRESSIONAL BODIES

#### [ BULLETIN ]

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19---President Wilson has sent the note to Germany warning her that unless attacks on merchantmen carrying Americans in violation of international law are stopped diplomatic relations will be severed.

The president revealed this fact to Senators Stone and Lodge and Representatives Flood and Cooper, ranking Democratic and Republican members of the congressional foreign affairs committee at a conference at the White House early today.

The president explained that the note practically is an ultimatum but does not contain a time limit. A demand is made, however, that Germany reply immediately.

### SENATE CRUSHES EFFORT TO REDUCE ARMY INCREASE

Washington, April 19---The army reorganization bill, passed by the senate last night, went to the house today, where a conference probably will be asked for on the measure.

The bill is a substitute for the Hays bill passed by the house and as finally proposed, passed without a record vote. It would produce regular army and reserve forces in the United States aggregating a million men.

In the closing hours of debate the senate made provisions for a regular standing army with a peace strength of 200,000 men, as compared with 100,000 in the Hays bill which passed the house; retained after a close vote, the plan for a federal volunteer army reserve forces, calculated to aggregate 200,000 men; and, federalized the National Guard forces of the states at an estimated strength of 250,000 men.

On that account it was regarded as practically certain that a conference would be asked and that work of perfecting a new army measure would begin promptly.

### ANSWER ON INTERFERENCE IS ON THE WAY

(BULLETIN) London, April 19---The reply of Great Britain and France to the American note concerning interference with maritime commerce by the entente allies has been cabled to Washington.

### WEATHER

Ohio --- Probably showers tonight and in east and north portions Thursday.

Washington, April 19---Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, will confer with Secretary Lansing at 11:30 o'clock this morning. The engagement was made at the ambassador's request.

It was revealed that the ambassador went to the state department not to discuss the submarine situation but to make a further formal demand for the return of papers which department of justice agents seized from Wolff Von Igel, private secretary to Captain Von Papen, the withdrawn military attaché, in New York yesterday.

New York, April 19---Government officials here faced an unique situation today resulting from the demand of the German embassy in Washington for the release of Wolff Von Igel and the return of documents seized in his office when he was arrested yesterday on an indictment charging him with complicity in a plot to destroy the Welland canal.

Von Igel formerly was secretary to Captain Franz Von Papen, the recalled military attaché of the German embassy which claims diplomatic immunity for him. The embassy demanded the return of the paper seized in his office on the ground that the office is a branch of the embassy. Seventy pounds of documents and letters taken from Von Igel's office are in the possession of federal authorities. It was reported they were of great importance as throwing light on various German activities in this country during the last 20 months.

Although Counsellor Polk of the state department, upon receiving the request of the German embassy, advised the department of justice to return the papers and free Von Igel, unless his alleged offense was committed before he became a member of the embassy, staff federal agents said they had yet received no such instructions. The case seems to hinge upon the question whether the offense charged against Von Igel was committed before he was employed by the German embassy. It is charged that the Welland canal plot was organized in September, 1914, within two months of the beginning of the war. Records of the state department show that it received notice of the appointment of Von Igel as a member of the embassy staff in September, 1915, one year after the alleged

Washington, April 19---As a preliminary to laying the whole submarine situation before congress at a joint session at one o'clock this afternoon, President Wilson conferred at 10 o'clock this morning with Chairman Stone and Flood of the congressional committees dealing with foreign affairs, and with Senator Lodge and Representative Cooper, the ranking Republican members of those committees. The visit of the committee leaders to the White House was regarded as surrounded with possibilities of gravest importance.

The president in his address to congress at 1 p. m. today will reveal fully what he has told to Germany. The note and his address, the congressional leaders said, contains the plain statement that the alternative is the breaking off of diplomatic relations.

Everywhere, in congressional official and diplomatic circles, the unfolding of the president's plans in events, as were members of congress and official Washington generally. Nevertheless the ambassador refused to abandon hope that the situation would be solved amicably. The quick passage of the army reorganization bill in the senate last night following the announcement of the joint session of congress today, was being commented upon in connection with the submarine situation. There was no visible connection between the two, although it was regarded as significant.

### SCHILLER GETS A LIFE SENTENCE

Wilmington, Del., April 19---Ernest Schiller, alias Clarence R. Hudson, who recently held up the captain and crew of fifty-six men of the British freighter Matopopo on the high sea, was on his way today to the federal prison at Atlanta in custody of United States marshals. Schiller yesterday pleaded guilty to a charge of piracy and was given a life sentence.

Before leaving here last night, Schiller in a statement declared that his desire for revenge against England had prompted his action. At the same time he said he hoped to do something "for the cause of Germany." He denied that robbery had been his motive and said that the chief reason his plan to sink the Matopopo had failed was because he did not want to kill anybody. Schiller said he was "mightily pleased" that he was not being sent back to England.

### ON STRIKE

Youngstown, April 19---Demanding an increase of 25 percent in wages, between 200 and 300 pressmen employed by the William Todd company are on a strike here. Machinists, helpers, pipe fitters and structural steel workers employed by the H. Koppers company at Struthers, near here, walked out yesterday. They ask for a wage increase of 15 percent.

### GAMES SIXTY THOUSAND JAPS IN CALIFORNIA

San Francisco, April 19---California has a Japanese population of approximately 60,000, according to an advance estimate of a census now being taken and made public today by the Japanese consul general, Heikichi Yamasaka.

### POPULATION OF THE U. S. IS NOW 102,804,000

Washington, April 19---The population of continental United States on April 1 was 102,804,000 as estimated by the Treasury Department statisticians in computing the per capita money circulation of the country which they place at \$38.41, an increase of \$3.67 over the per capita circulation on April 1 last year.

His Explanation. "I can't understand why Adam and Eve had such a time just because they ate one little apple," said five-year-old Mabel. "I'll bet it was green," said her brother. ---New York Globe.

Hard to Convince. "Rafferty," said Mr. Dolan, "are you wan of those people that never know when they're whipped?" "I am not. But I take nobody's word for it except the doctor's after I come to." ---Washington Star.

Mr. Bates Returns. Architect Richard M. Bates has returned from a business trip to Huntington and Ashland.

# KEEPING ABREAST WITH SPORTING TREND

## Huntington Coming Strong, Games On Thursday Evening; Big Practice Games Tonight

Word was received from Carl Ridge, by Wednesday morning that the Huntington bowlers would arrive in this city Thursday afternoon for the games with the Play House five at the Play House alleys, Thursday evening. These games will start promptly at 8:10 o'clock, and no doubt a large crowd will be out to witness the sport. When the local five invaded Huntington last Thursday, the Huntington players almost annihilated them, but now that they are on their home alleys, it is hoped they will reverse the verdict. Huntington has a strong team, every man being an artist and every one a gentleman. The local team is 210 pins behind Huntington in the race for the trophy to be presented the winner of the inter-city series. After playing Huntington here tomorrow night, the local will have one more series, that being with Charleston, which will be rolled off on the latter alleys on the night of Friday, April 23. When Charleston was here the locals came off victorious by a majority of 192 pins. Manager W. N. Gableman of the Play House states that he will have plenty of folding chairs for the accommodation of those who care to witness the games between Portsmouth and Huntington tomorrow night. Come out and help the Play House five get back those 200 pins. Anyhow come and witness the games, which will be fought hard. The locals will roll a match with the Ivory Knobs at the Play House alleys this evening, the first game to start at 8:30 o'clock.

### Jack Perry After Match

Jack Perry of Columbus, who is considered one of the hardest hitting lightweights in Ohio has written to Promoter Kieglar of this city for a match in Portsmouth. It is likely that Perry will be matched with Terry Nelson, who recently fought Kid Howard here.

## L. E. Smith Was Elected President

Charleston, April 19.—A meeting of the local baseball officials resulted in the election of L. E. Smith, president; P. A. Donovan, vice president; Russell Barrett, secretary and H. S. Matthews, treasurer. These men will take over

## Sharman Injured

Ralph Sharman, formerly of the local team is not in the line up of the Menphis club, where the Giants recently ousted the ball. And it was the third strike. Speaking of tough luck.

## Contracts Signed For Coming Battle

Promoter Charles Kieglar has received the signed contract of Tommy Dillon of Indianapolis and Freddie Rosen of Shelbyville, Ind. They will battle eight rounds in the windup at the next boxing contest to be held in Kendall hall Monday, May 1.

## Charleston Gets New Ball Park

Charleston, April 19.—The contract has been let by the baseball promoters for the construction of the new baseball park at Kanawha City to the W. A. Abbott Company and work has started. It is said that the park will be completed about May 6, as a large

## FERGUSON ON WAY HERE TO SIGN HIS CONTRACT

Pitcher John Ferguson of Clarksville, Tenn., is on his way to Portsmouth. He will probably sign up upon his arrival in the city. He has been a holdout.

Ferguson was considered one of the best pitchers in the league last year, and President Gableman was all smiles when he received word Tuesday that Ferguson was on his way to the River City.

Wild Matthews, a clean cut young chap, who will try for an outfield post, arrived last night from Metropolis, Ill. A flock of players will arrive tonight and Thursday and scenes of activities will again be seen in Millbrook.

Manager Spencer had a conference with Mr. Gableman last night. They are satisfied that Portsmouth will have another winning ball club this year.

## CURTIS HAS REPORTED

Charleston, April 19.—The first of the string of Senators who are scheduled to be ready for duty on Thursday of this week reported yesterday. This man was Third Baseman Curtis, who came from his home at Beckley. Curtis made every fan his friend last season by his brilliant playing around the third base, and he is unopposed for that job again this season.

## RED SOX PITCHERS EXPECTED TO WIN PENNANT AGAIN FOR OLD BOSTON TOWN



Ruth (left) and Shore.

The Red Sox twirlers who are expected to win another pennant for Boston this year are the salvation of the team. The staff is good for some years to come, with such men as Shore, Ruth and Leonard just approaching their best, to say nothing of Foster, and a youngster like Mays just coming on.

## CLASSY PRELIMINARIES

The preliminaries to the Dillon-Rosen fight, to be staged in Kendall hall on Monday May 1, will include a four-round go between Larry McLean of Jackson and Roy Bellamy and Young Nelson-Howard fistie encounter.

## Hal Chase's Homer Beat The Pirates

Oh, you Hal Chase! He won the game for the Reds against Pittsburgh Tuesday by slugging out a home run in the tenth inning. The score was 4 to 0.

The Pirates tied it up in the ninth and had a man on third, but Honus Wagner lofted to Williams and the tie was not broken until Chase cut in with his four cushion wallop. The score:

PITTSBURGH AB R H PO A E  
Johnson, 1b.....1 0 0 5 1 0  
Carey, lf.....2 2 1 2 1 0  
Barney, cf.....3 1 1 3 0 0  
xWilson.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
Baird, cf.....0 0 0 1 0 0  
Hinchman, cf.....1 0 2 5 0 0  
Wagner, ss.....5 0 0 1 1 1  
Schultz, 2b.....4 0 0 1 2 0  
Voss, 3b.....1 0 0 1 0 0  
Schmidt, c.....5 0 1 6 0 0  
Adams, p.....4 0 1 1 1 0  
Totals.....34 3 7 27 6 2  
xWilson batted for Barney.

CINCINNATI AB R H PO A E  
Killebrew, cf.....4 1 1 2 0 0  
Hornow, ss.....5 0 1 1 1 0  
Chase, lf.....4 1 3 12 0 0  
Griffith, 1b.....4 2 2 1 0 0  
Groh, 3b.....3 0 0 1 0 0  
Williams, lf.....5 0 0 4 0 0  
Louden, 2b.....3 0 1 4 2 0  
Wingo, c.....0 0 1 1 0 0  
McKenery, p.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
xBeall.....1 0 0 0 0 0  
Schultz, p.....1 0 0 1 0 0  
Schneider, p.....0 0 0 0 0 0  
Totals.....36 4 10 27 15 1  
Cincinnati.....20 0 0 0 0 1 1 10 1  
Pittsburgh.....10 1 0 0 0 0 1 3 7 2

xBeall batted for McKenery.

Struck out: By Adams 3; McKenery 0; Schultz 2; Schneider 2.

Bases on Ball: off McKenery 5; off Adams 1; off Schultz 3; off Schneider 0.

Two Base Hits—Groh, Baird, Hinchman.

Stolen Bases—Chase 1; Chase 2; Griffith, Williams.

Double Play—Groh to Chase.

## TWO CLEVER RINGSTERS

Paisey Murphy, one of the best fighters in this section is anxious for Promoter Kieglar to match him with Paisey Haley of Cincinnati. If these lads ever climb into the same ring in Portsmouth it is a cinch that the match would attract a record breaking crowd of fight fans. Murphy boxed in Charleston last Saturday night and won his fight. His home is in Columbus.

## Season Books At Charleston

Charleston, April 19.—Season tickets in book form will be on sale today and promoters of the ball club will visit all business men and ask to be favored with a purchase. These books which will be sold at \$50 and \$100 each will have tickets to the entire face value good for any games to be played during the season.

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| New York     | 1 | 2 | .333 |
| Chicago      | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| Brooklyn     | 0 | 2 | .000 |

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

St. Louis-Chicago, wet grounds.  
Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 3.  
Philadelphia 4, Boston 0.  
Brooklyn-New York, postponed, cold.

### GAMES TODAY

New York at Brooklyn.  
Boston at Philadelphia.  
No others scheduled.

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### STANDING OF CLUBS

| Clubs        | W | L | Pct. |
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| Boston       | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| Chicago      | 5 | 2 | .714 |
| New York     | 2 | 1 | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 4 | 3 | .500 |
| Washington   | 2 | 2 | .500 |
| Detroit      | 3 | 1 | .288 |
| Cleveland    | 2 | 4 | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1 | 3 | .250 |

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Chicago 7, St. Louis 2.  
Cleveland 3, Detroit 1.  
Boston 2, Washington 4.  
New York 1, Philadelphia 2.

### GAMES TODAY

Detroit at Cleveland.  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at New York.  
Washington at Boston, 2 games.

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| Louisville  | 1 5 1    |
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| Kansas City   | 0 4 2    |
| Columbus  | 4 10 0   |
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| At Indianapolis:  | R. H. E. |
| St. Paul  | 4 7 0    |
| Indianapolis  | 1 8 1    |
| Batteries—Douglass and Land; Rogge and Schang.                |          |
| At Toledo:  | R. H. E. |
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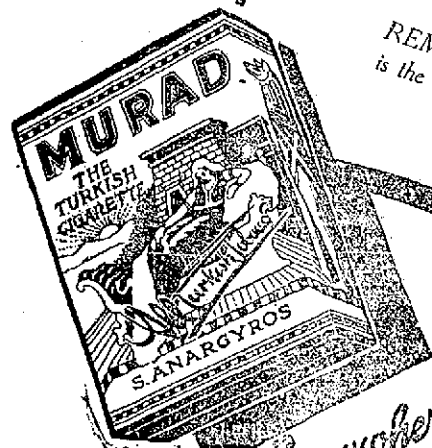
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## A GOOD BEGINNING

The annual spring proclamation concerning street traffic arrived Saturday, somewhat belated. It was accompanied by some parking and direction rules that are going to materially relieve confusion and congestion, if enforced. On both Saturday and Sunday traffic men were stationed on both the north and south sides of Gallia, at its junction with Chillicothe, directing vehicles in the observance of the new rule that all shall turn off from Chillicothe into Gallia on the south side and enter therefrom from the north. The patrolmen did their work well and decided improvement in the smoothness of the flow of traffic resulted.

It was to be noted, however, that Sunday, with no officers about there was the usual disregard of rules. In fact, from their frequent infractions, one would believe autoists were contemptuously bent on disregarding them. More than one car was kept steadily on the wrong side of the street and the speed fiends were "hitting it up" out Gallia in utter recklessness.

A few arrests and stiff fines, without any remittances, will cause the exceptions to the general observance of the rules to become considerably limited. For some drivers will never learn how fast they are going until the matter is officially determined in dollars.

## WAIT FOR THE TEST

Portsmouth, Virginia, will immediately enter upon a test of the vaunted superiority of the commission form of government for municipalities. On Tuesday she held an election, under the new charter, and the commissioners-elect are ready to be sworn in and enter upon their duties.

The one local paper, the Star, is in great glee over the experiment. It confidently declares that it is already a success because of the character of the men elected. But prophecy, or claim is not fulfillment. We've heard the same thing about other forms of government and administrations, truth to confess, we have occasionally made such predictions and found them miserable disappointments and failures. We tell you, and we reiterate it, that in popular rule the form has absolutely nothing to do with the efficiency of government. It is all in the men that direct the form. If the Virginia Portsmouth has had such an "evil administration" that was not because of the form of it, but because of the officials chosen to direct it. There isn't a reason in the world to believe that simply because public officials are given different names and regulations and responsibilities shifted to different titles there is going to be any better class of citizens seeking place and any more efficacious results ensuing. There are only four things required to make good government. These are intelligence, honesty, diligence and a sense of responsibility. Given these and them kept constantly in play any city will have a satisfactory rule. It is the thing the people have got not only to demand, but to take for themselves, before they can get the sort of government they pay for. They can never shift from the consequence of their own ignorance, indifference or partisanship as to candidates by going out and changing the form and not the substance.

So far as we are able to determine we seem to be about the only person of age, sound of limb and body and in full possession of our faculties, who is at all interested in the primaries to be held on April 25th. We talked to eleven men Tuesday, asking them if they were not going to vote and nine of the eleven wanted to know, when, why and where.

Norway, Sweden, Holland and Denmark have lost 203 ships since the war began. Neutrality isn't even its own reward.—New York Sun.

One of the sad things about recent historic occurrences in our beloved city is that Nate and Clink and Shep will have to hunt up other topics for discussion from the hustings this fall besides joy riding policemen and lost firemen.

## THE REAL LEADER IN MEXICO



## WHERE HER STRENGTH LIES

Meat is to be made an article of luxury in Germany, that is the quantity to be sold to any one person is to be limited in both frequency and amount, just as are already bread and butter. Consumption is to be regulated by distribution from a central office and according to regulations, restaurants will not be permitted to serve more than one piece of meat at the noon day meal and no side dishes will be allowed. All foods must be placed on one plate. There is no complaint about the new order, that is none openly. The people are accepting the regulation as one of the sacrifices they must make for the safety and honor of the Fatherland. And 'tis this willingness on their part that makes for the marvelous endurance with which Germany has been able to withstand the pressure her enemies are bearing against her from every side.

Because every state is presenting a favorite candidate to the G. O. P. national convention is not so much as the slightest reason for discounting the fact that the nominating will be done in the same old way. The fellows that run the machine never lose sight of who is running it, and there is no chance about the passengers it is going to carry any of the burdens. The more the masses don't know the more those on the inside do know.

The Portsmouth Play Grounds for children are ideally located and could be made a source of joy forever to the children of the town. It looks to us as though here is something worth while and that some of the energy devoted to less worthy causes might well be used in restoring and maintaining the Play Grounds. What say you?

From the way some papers are going after Josephus Daniels, publisher and secretary of state, one might suppose the esteemed Raleigh News and Observer is encroaching upon their circulation territory.

William Jennings Bryan canvassed the whole state of Nebraska for Brother Charlie for governor. Nothing wrong about that for no one should know the worth of his kin better than himself, and if he wouldn't support him, who would, we'd like to know?

Some papers certainly have a face on them, those, for instance, that are advocating more protection and paying the highest prices they ever paid for print paper.

Washington seems to have her doubts that Villa is as dead as he ought to be.

## AS TO COLOR DYES

Certain interests are arguing for the overthrow of the Wilson administration on the ground that protection, which would be given by its successful opponents would build up a colossal color dye industry in this country. That may be and it may not. The favor is rather with the negative. Dyes have been a necessity of trade about ever since man began to wear manufactured clothes. For years and years the advocates of protection were in full control of the whole government, and though the tariff wall was built mountain high, it would seem the dye industry did not take root and grow in America, Germany maintaining a monopoly in production. Therefore it would seem to follow that what is needed to create home manufacture is not protection but something else. Stress has driven us to search and there is reason to believe that once turning itself in that direction American ingenuity will solve the problem.

One in a position to know informs us that, in spite of our impression to the contrary, the girls are now wearing more petticoat to the square inch than for many years and we are thinking of putting the matter to the test by getting into a street brawl, being severely cut with a razor and seeing if any beautiful girl, who happens to be passing, will rush to our side, tear her petticoat into strips and make a tourniquet of 'em, thus stanching the flow of blood.—Ohio State Journal.

We have abundant proof of the pulling power of our editorial suggestions, though some times they are a little slow in getting results. Thus a year ago we suggested to Squire Byron that he pull down his awning as a relief to the aesthetic feelings of his neighbors on Court street. Yesterday the awning came down. We point with pride, etc.

Complaint has been made that Jess Willard gets more money than a minister. Still there is nothing to prevent a minister from going after the championship if he can qualify.—Bluefield Telegraph.

Columbus is going to have another afternoon paper, it is announced, the Columbus Saturday Monitor, which was started by a group of politicians having determined to issue an evening daily beginning June 12th. Well they will get a lot of experience and pay for it in proportion, is our guess.

A little touch of the glorious spring time is worth a whole cycle of rough, rude and boisterous winter.

Well, Uncle Sam, on that invitation to lie himself away can do as is the habit of the host, put it off until the morrow.

## NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, April 18—Introducing "Syrup Jack," Broadway's latest cut-up. He is the playful young man who squirts syrup on women's dresses in the subway. He ruined gowns worth \$500 during the past week and is still on the job, giving the police the merry ha-ha.

He carries a rubber ball in his pocket and when a particularly well-dressed woman comes near him, he squirts the syrup over her clothes and goes serenely on his way. It has been suggested that he might have been hired by the fashionable dressmakers to increase their business, but of course this is only a base and mean accusation without foundation.

Examination has failed to reveal whether it was chocolate or some other flower. Detective Markey said it might even be molasses. He will stick to the trail.

Last summer the subway had a cut-up who would jab women with hat-pins and make them scream with pain. He was caught one day by a muscular young woman, who manuevered his face against the cement flooring of a station and then let him go.

Young Bert Hubbard, son of the late Elbert, has returned from the annual pilgrimage to the Temple of Health in Kansas City. It was a custom of the father's and the son will continue it.

There is a doctor in charge of the Temple of Health, an old mansion, and each year patients who have been cured there return for what they call a "health reunion."

Mr. Hubbard brings back a good yarn with him. The son of puritanical parents living near Kansas City had reached the age of 23 without seeing much of the world. He was about to be married and his father took him to Kansas City to see a little of the glitter of the city. He dined at the cafes, visited the theatres and other places that never had a part in his life.

When he returned he fell weeping in his mother's arms. She told him not to mind, that the world was not so bad. He had only seen the worst.

"I know," he sobbed, "but there is no Santa Claus."

Charles R. Barnes, the magazine writer, has shaken Broadway for good. About a year ago he went down to Atlantic City for the week-end and has been there ever since. He lives in the same house with Max Marcin, the playwright, and both dislike New York.

Barnes was in town for the first time in a year last week and only came because he was compelled to sail from here for Cuba. He used to live in Missouri and commented thusly the other afternoon before sailing:

"New York purchased \$100,000 worth of tickets to the Moran-Willard fight. Yet every time a novelist needs a sucker for a character he has him hail from Missouri."

An elderly gentleman from the country was at the head of a line of arrivals at the Waldorf the other morning. He spent such a long time at the register that the clerk became a trifle impatient.

"Just sign your name, please," he said. "The other guests, too, would like to register."

"See here, young man," exclaimed the old gentleman, "don't you try any of your 'sasses' on me. I don't sign nothing I ain't read carefully. I learnt my lesson with one of them there lightning' rod slickers."

Wells Hawks, the famous press agent, who made Steeple Chase Park at Coney popular, with the line "Everything New But the Ocean," is back on Broadway press agencing the Russian ballet. He lives in a small town in West Virginia and has been writing a novel there.

## Plant Is Needed

With emergencies constantly bobbing up city administration officials are beginning to feel the need of a city-owned general repair plant. Sentiment in favor of establishing such a plant, completely equipped with tools, machine parts, etc., is rapidly growing among them.

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## Political Announcement

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Remember that!

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Let's All Join in the Chorus. Don't stop my paper, printer; Don't strike my name off yet; You know the times are stringent And dollars hard to get; But tug a little harder Is what I mean to do, And scrape enough together—Enough for me and you.

I can't afford to drop it, And I find it doesn't pay To do without a paper, However others may; I hate to ask my neighbors To give me theirs on loan; They don't just say, but mean it, "Why don't you have your own?"

You can't tell how we miss it, If it by any fate, Should happen not to reach us, Or come a little late; Then all is in a hubbub And things go all awry; And, prying, if you're married, You'll know the reason why.

The children want the features, And wife is anxious, too, At first to glance it over And then to read it through; And I read the editorials And scan the local views, And read the correspondence And every bit of news.

## She Deserves a Rest.

Tomorrow evening Miss Phyllis Bedella makes her final appearance at the London Empire, where she has danced without interruption for nine and one half years.—Bristol (Eng.) Times.

## Better Stand Back When You Bark, Jack

Jack Monclief was struck by an east-bound train, Saturday, barking his leg and arm.—Newton Falls News.

## A Distressing Experience, Either Way!

Six hours later we were finally picked up by the Primrose and the Magnolia and arrived at Queens-town, Ireland, many of us half-naked, others half-dressed.—Panama Star and Herald.

## That's A Vital Spot

Leo Kriker was hit by an auto truck at Gallia and Chillicothe streets.—News Item.

## And the Mean Thing Probably Told Them

Notice to married men who attend boxing bouts: Please notify your wives immediately after the show is over.

Thursday night the fair and hard working Plain Dealer telephone operator was besieged with calls from anxious wives regarding the whereabouts of wandering husbands and the hour at which the Grays armory show let out.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Yes, a Year Without a Haircut Is Striking

Beginning on Wednesday, May 17, East Palestine's barber shops will swing their doors on the shave-seeking multitude at 12 o'clock noon. The striking feature of this closing is that it will continue throughout the year and not just during the torrid season—June, July and August, as heretofore.—East Palestine Leader.

## Well, Some Folks Do!

In our account of the Livingston-Hoff Wedding in last week's issue our reporter intended to state that "after a brief wedding trip the newly married couple would make their home at the 'Old Manse'; but through a typographical error which escaped the proof reader, and which we regret exceedingly, "Old Manse" was made to read "Old Man's."—Weedsport (N. Y.) Sentinel.

## A Last Resort

"Can't you do anything at all for my hair?" "Nope," said the barber. "But my dome shines like a newly starched collar. Can't you give it a sort of dull finish?"—Exchange.

## Cannibalism

Robert—What did you have for dinner? Thomas—Just our own folks. What did you? Robert—Oh, we had the minister.—Exchange.

## Was There Speechmaking?

J. W. Dunlap, editor of the Lodi Review, has had some experience in the last two weeks—elected president of the Lodi board of trade and almost asphyxiated just afterward.—The Kinsman (O.) Courier.

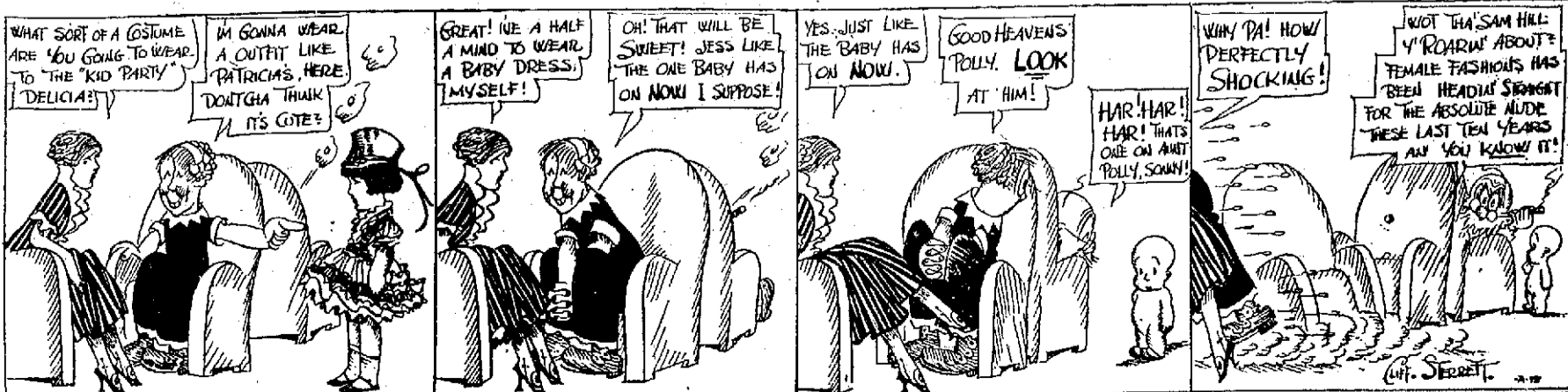
## Trying to Forget It

"The West Parkville Birthday club met at Mrs. Sylvia Thomas' last Saturday to remind her of her birthday. It was a complete surprise to her."—Potosi Recorder.

## POLLY AND HER PALS

## The Baby Is Fashionable

## By CLIFF STERRETT



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# PLANS UNDER WAY TO ESTABLISH COUNTRY CLUB AT WHEELERSBURG

## NEW MOOSE OFFICERS INSTALLED LAST NIGHT

Unless plans already well under way miscarry, and there is small likelihood that they will, a magnificent country club will be established near Wheelersburg, negotiations having been on for several days for the leasing of 100 acres of ground in this vicinity.

With the closing of these lease plans of the promoters of the project will be made known. There is a movement on foot at present by the promoters of this proposition to swing a deal whereby the present Portsmouth Golf Club will be merged with the new company. It was stated today by an official of this company that there was no objection to the absorption plans of the new company by members of the old golf club and prospects for the establishment of a beautiful country club house near Wheelersburg, were never brighter than just now.

"We expect to put up a club house that will be second to none in Southern Ohio. It will be an ornate structure from the outside and will contain every modern convenience in the interior, a magnificent swimming pool to be one of its chief features," one of the enthusiastic promoters of the project stated Tuesday.

"The golf course will be given special attention and several tennis courts will be provided, in fact every little detail that will make for a well rounded country club, is being incorporated in our plans."

It is known that sooner or later the Portsmouth Golf Club will be compelled to give up their present course in East Portsmouth, as the ground they are now battling the elusive ball around on will be eventually used for additional trackage purposes by the N. & W. With a full realization of this fact staring them in the face, members of the old club have taken kindly to the proposition to establish a country club at Wheelersburg and from present indications, the project will be carried to a state of completion.

The ground being negotiated for is located near the new line of the Ohio Valley Traction Company.

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### The Movies

**At The Arcana**  
"The Iron Ring," is the title of the fourteenth chapter of "Graft." In this installment Robert Harding, the young reformer breaks up the iron trust. The reign of terror at the iron foundry is the one extraordinary feature of this number. Stone makes another attack on Dorothy's life, but she is saved when her young brother starts the Victrola.

"I'll Get Her Yet." This is the comedy that you have been waiting to see and it is certainly up to expectations. Pat Rooney, the famous stage comedian, is the leading character and is ably assisted by Marion Bent and Victor Pote, a cast that will make every one laugh. Two big reels of fun feature comedy, followed by "Uncle Sam at Work," a Powers educational film.

### REALTY DEALS

Mary C. and H. R. Duncan to W. L. Conklin, east half lot 31, Noel and McElhenny addition, city, \$1.

C. C. Patterson, donor, to C. A. Crabtree, 35 acres Union township, \$433.

C. A. and Lexie Crabtree to Joe and Sam Roman, 35 acres, Union township, \$1.

Samuel Wilson to Edward Cunningham, 166 1-2 acres, Morgan township, \$1.

Benjamin F. and Edna L. Stewart to Charles B. Warnock, lot 33, Sunset park, \$1.

### Wheel Barometers

What is known as the wheel barometer is an ingenious variation of Torricelli's idea. This barometer was invented by Robert Hooke, probably the greatest "philosophical mechanic" of his day. It is intended to indicate the weather without observing the mercury itself. There is the usual tube, but it is bent at the bottom into a short leg. In this leg a little glass that rests upon the surface of the mercury. A cord attached to the float passes over the pulley. The pulley is furnished with a pointer that moves around the dial, the moving agency being the rising or falling mercury, which lifts or lowers the float.

Annual installation of officers of the Loyal Order of Moose held Tuesday night with the usual impressive-ness, attracted one of the biggest crowds of the year to Moose hall. Roy McElhenny acted as the installing officer. Six candidates were also initiated. At the conclusion of these exercises the members enjoyed a delightful social session.

The officers installed were as follows:  
Past Dictator—J. M. Krall.  
Dictator—J. M. Kennedy.  
Vice Dictator—W. J. Scott.  
Prelate—H. M. Mackey.  
Secretary—H. C. Huddleson.  
Treasurer—Albert C. Daehler.  
Sergeant-at-Arms—J. J. Kanyon.  
Inside Guard—Clarence Weber.  
Outside Guard—Wm. Kirsch.  
Trustee (three years)—E. W. Kader.

Delegate to convention—J. M. Krall.

It was announced at the meeting that the Moose would have a street fair some time in August, the attractions to be furnished by the Meyerhoff Agency in New York. It will be a 25 car show and will be one of the best of the kind ever brought to the city.

The committee that will have charge of the show includes Elmer Hinder, chairman, Harry Huddleson, Joseph Krall, Joseph Albrecht and Charles Chick.  
Senator W. D. Tremper was present at the meeting and was called on for a short talk and he responded in his usual happy vein. Several other short talks were given and the meeting was one of the most enjoyable the Moose have held in a long time.

### TYPEWRITER STOLEN

The Breece Manufacturing company reported the theft of a Remington typewriter, valued at \$100, to the police Wednesday morning.

The machine was taken from

the company's office some time during the night. The office door was not locked and it is thought that the typewriter was stolen by someone familiar with the premises.

## Bids Are Rejected For New Church

Owing to the fact that the building committee could not be satisfied with details of the bids submitted for the construction of the new Fourth Street Methodist church building on the Hilltop, all bids were rejected.

The committee is now working along other lines by which they hope to satisfy themselves perfectly in the matter and are sure that their efforts will be fully approved by their congregation.  
The building committee will meet again tonight.

## BELIEVES SEN. HARDING WILL BE NOMINATED

Judge A. T. Holcomb is firmly of the belief that Senator Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, will be the Republican nominee for president.

The Marion statesman's speeches in various parts of the country in the past week or two, have attracted great attention and fo-

cused interest upon him and as he will be chairman of the Republican national convention, he can be counted upon to display his oratorical abilities as he never did before. "To my notion, he would be the most popular candidate the Republicans could possibly nominate," said the judge.

## AUXILIARY WILL MEET

The ladies of Vienna Auxiliary of Vienna Camp Sons of Veterans will meet in regular session at Selby (G. A. R.) hall Friday evening. Some new members will be initiated and new applications for membership received. All

members of the camp and G. A. R. veterans always cordially welcome to attend meetings. At this meeting the ladies will also make preparation for active participation in G. A. R. Day, May 22, and the great meeting to be held in the High School auditorium.

## Band Cleared \$40

The benefit show the Jr. O. U. on the Gallia street esplanade last A. M. band gave at the Exhibit night. Asa Henderson is the theatre on Gallia street Tuesday night, netted more than \$40, which will be added to the uniform fund of the band. The band, under the leadership of Charles M. Martin, rendered concerts at Eleventh and Offshore streets, Eleventh and Waller streets and

the uniform fund.

## Elks Excursions Here Are Popular

The program for the excursion from one end of the broad Ohio to the other. The music in the auspices of the Elks has been, spacious dancing cabins of the shaped and local Elksdom looks. Island Queen will be of the very for the most successful trips in the history of the lodge. There will be matinee and evening excursions Monday, April 20th. They will be repeated four days later, Friday, April 28th. The Elks river entertainments are among the most brilliant

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### OBITUARY

#### James Watkins Lowry

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lowry, of No. 1601 Offshore street, will be shocked to learn that their ten-months-old baby son, James Watkins Lowry, strangled to death Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The mother, who was formerly Miss Judith Watkins, daughter of County Commissioner Thomas W. Watkins, had just started to give the baby his feeding. He had no sooner commenced drinking the nursing bottle than he began choking. The mother failing in her efforts to relieve him, sent in hurry calls for Dr. R. O. LeBaron and Dr. Albert Berndt. The latter was the first to reach the home, and taking in the situation at a glance, quickly sent for the city policeman. The life-saving device, however, proved useless, as the infant had expired.

The baby, while not regarded as weak, was of very small size for his age, he weighing only nine pounds.

A sad feature of the sudden death of the little one is the fact that the father, who is general superintendent of the Portsmouth district of the Harrison-Walker Refractories Company, was absent from the city. He is expected to arrive home from Strasburg, O., Wednesday noon. Besides the parents, the baby is survived by a brother, Master John, who is 2 years and 4 months old. Pending the father's arrival no arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

#### William Winter

Mrs. Samuel Lindenmeyer, of Sixth and Washington streets, was unexpectedly called to Urbana, O., yesterday, where her father, the late William Winter, will be buried today. Mr. Winter, who was 81 years old, died suddenly last Sunday at the home of his daughter in Billings, Mo. He conducted a bakery for many years in Urbana. Mr. Winter, who visited Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Lindenmeyer here two years ago, is survived by five daughters.

## DOGS ARE POISONED

Residents in the vicinity of Eleventh and Hutchins streets are trying to identify a dog-poisoner who has been abroad in that neighborhood for the last week. Walter H. Norris, of Twelfth street, near Hutchins, lost a valuable water spaniel, and Mrs. W. R. Bushlaw a fox-terrier, both by the poison route.

The directors of the Scioto County Agricultural Society are planning to send the boy who raises the largest yield of corn upon an acre of ground on the annual Corn Boy's tour of the eastern states. This trip is one of the most delightful within the range of the tourists and the boys are royally entertained in each place they visit.

The directors of the Fair association are expecting several entries. The Scioto county boys are capable and willing and it is hoped that the race for the coveted trip will be interesting and exciting.

Mrs. George Bowers, who has been ill at her home in Brouse's Run for the past four weeks, is now reported very low.

Rumors and counter-rumors are current around and about Lucasville concerning a co-operative corn elevator. The farmers are formulating plans to build and operate a new elevator and pool the corn from the farms belonging to the stockholders and dispose of it in wholesale lots upon the Eastern or Chicago markets.

C. W. Hill, of Dry Run, began plowing corn in his bottom-lands, Monday. Pond Creek farmers are also beginning to plow, now that the ground has become sufficiently dried.

the country. Homer Denney, one of the best known of Cincinnati's musical directors, will be in charge of the saxophone band on duty in the dancing cabins. Those who love to dance will find every opportunity.

### HOLLISTER SLATED FOR PENCE'S PLACE



W. R. Hollister.

W. R. Hollister, of Jefferson City, Mo., clerk to the senate committee on foreign relations, of which Senator Stone is chairman, has been acting secretary of the Democratic national committee since the death of Thomas J. Pence. He was appointed assistant to Mr. Pence and handled the office under Mr. Pence's direction for some time before the latter's death.

Tin Boxes.  
Tin boxes are really made of sheet iron, which is coated with tin to preserve it from rusting.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received at the residence of J. F. Shelia, being the office of the clerk and treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Scioto County, Ohio, Wheelersburg, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1916, for the purchase of bonds of said School District, in the aggregate sum of Twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), both inclusive, dated May 1, 1915; said bonds, being consecutively numbered from one (1) to seventy (70), both inclusive, thus making four of said bonds due in each of the years 1921 to 1924, both inclusive, and two of said bonds the first day of May, 1925.

Said bonds are issued by the virtue of the authority of Sections 253, 252, and 251 of the General Code of Ohio, and an affirmative vote of the electors of said School District and under and in accordance with a resolution of said Board of Education adopted on the 27th day of March, 1915, and the purpose of purchasing a site and erecting a new school building thereon.

Said bonds shall be sold to the highest and best bidder and for not less than par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Conditional bids will not be considered. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for, the gross amount of the bid and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids for the aggregate amount must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank in Ohio for One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,750.00) and all bids for a part of the bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to five per cent (5%) of the aggregate face value of the bonds bid for. Said checks must be made payable to the clerk and treasurer of the said School District upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for the bonds awarded to him upon delivery thereof. Said check or checks to be retained and become the property of said School District if said condition is not fulfilled, otherwise to be returned to the bidder.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Communications may be addressed to the undersigned:

J. F. SHELIA,  
Clerk and Treasurer of the Wheelersburg Rural School District, Wheelersburg, Ohio.

Apr. 13 Wed.

### INSTALLATION OF SEED CORN TESTERS ADVOCATED BY THE BOARD OF TRADE

The Bannan farm, near Lucasville is perhaps one of the most scientific managed individual farms in the state. Before seed corn is planted it is graded, germinated and carefully screened so that no unhealthy seed will be planted in the seed bed.

Each year in September the broad corn fields are carefully searched for the seed corn. No ears are selected for the seed unless there are two upon the stock; unless the stock is well rounded and shows a healthy plant; unless it is of average height and rich color.

By this method between two hundred and fifty and three hundred bushels of fine well filled, heavy-kernelled ears are stored in a warm place through the winter. In February, the germination test is started in a specially constructed seed testing house. Five

# BREAK WITH GERMANY WOULD BRING TROOPS HOME FROM MEXICO

Washington, April 19.—Decision of the Washington government upon the question as to whether the American forces hunting Villa shall be recalled or reinforced for further operations, today awaited the receipt of further reports from American officials in Mexico. General Funston already has submitted a lengthy report on the situation and additional advices from him are momentarily expected.

Meanwhile, indications are that the chase for Villa is at a standstill. The general belief here is that the German situation would have some bearing upon the impending decision. Should a break in diplomatic relations occur, it was pointed out that the troops now in Mexico would be needed at home as military prudence would require that steps be taken to

prepare for eventualities. It was suggested that inasmuch as the main purpose of the expedition, the protection of the border, has been accomplished, an agreement for the withdrawal might be reached with General Carranza on the basis that if Villa, or his bandits, again head northward, American troops would again cross the international line.

# Important Turkish Seaport Is Taken By The Russians

## PLEA FOR ALLIES BRINGS PROTEST



President Hutchins (top) and Louis C. Crampton.

President Hutchins, of the University of Michigan has received from Congressman Crampton of Michigan a telegram protesting against the act of fourteen members of the faculty in signing, in their official capacity, a memorial declaring sympathy with the entente allies and against Germany.

Petrograd, April 19.—(Via London)—Trebizond, the most important Turkish city on the Black Sea, has been captured by the Russians.

The fall of Trebizond to the Russian arms is confirmed in an official communication issued today.

The statement says:

"Trebizond has been taken. The united energetic efforts of our Caucasian army and Black Sea fleet have been crowned by the conquest of this fortified town, the most important position on the Anatolian coast."

"Our valiant troops, after the sanguinary battle of the fourteenth on the Kara Dere river, pressed the Turks without respite and surmounted incredible obstacles, everywhere breaking the fierce resistance of the enemy. The well combined action of the fleet permitted the execution of most hazardous landing operations and lent the support of its artillery to the troops operating in the coastal region."

Caucasian Army Praised

"Credit for this fresh victory also is partly due to the assistance given the Caucasian army by the troops operating in other directions in Asia Minor. By their desperate fighting and heroic exploits, they did everything

in their power to facilitate the task of the detachments on the coast."

Trebizond is a city of Asia Minor on the Black Sea, 575 miles east of Constantinople, and 100 miles north of Erzerum, the town stormed by the Russians on February 16. Trebizond has a population of about 40,000 including some 18,000 Christians.

The importance of the Black Sea port was due to its command of the point where the chief trade route from Persia and Central Asia descends to the sea. It is separated from the rest of Asia Minor by a barrier of rugged mountains, 7,000 to 8,000 feet high, which the Russian armies had to traverse.

Since the fall of Erzerum and the capture three weeks later of Bitlis, the Turks are said to have increased the Trebizond garrison until it contained three complete divisions, or about 54,000 men, and to have done everything possible to strengthen the Black Sea port.

# SOME RESTRICTIONS IN W. VA. PROHIBITION LAW HAVE BEEN RAISED

Charleston, W. Va., April 19.—The West Virginia court of appeals, in a decision yesterday, held that it is not unlawful for a citizen to carry one-half a gallon of intoxicating liquors without a statutory label, or more with such label, to his home for personal use.

The court also held that a warrant, charging that intoxicating liquors are being manufactured, sold, exposed or stored for sale in a trunk or other container in the possession of any person, does not charge that person with manufacturing or selling or with any other offense under the statute.

### NOTICE

Lewis Cosca, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 27th day of March, 1916, his wife, Ella Cosca, filed her petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 1847, praying that she be divorced from him, and that she have the care and custody of her minor child, Frank Cosca, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty. Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 27th day of April, 1916.

ELIZA COSCA, Plaintiff.

Blair & Kimble, Attorneys. 15-c West

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